

British Crack Jap Lines in India

6,000 Planes Drop 9,000 Tons of Bombs on Nazi Areas

Americans Take Major Part in Aerial Assaults

Germans Offering Slight Resistance

By W. W. HERCHER
LONDON, April 19 (AP)—American and British war planes developed the greatest sustained aerial assault of the war today, rounding out a thirty-hour offensive against Germany and Nazi-occupied territories during which bombs were dropped almost continuously at the average rate of 300 tons an hour, or five tons a minute.

The Allies in more than 6,000 flights between noon Tuesday and 4 p. m. today poured 9,000 tons of bombs on selected German targets, the Americans capping the period with a blow by 2,000 heavy bombers and fighters against plane factories and parking fields near Kassel and Hamm in Germany and installations near Calais in France.

Call It "Air Invasion"

The United States air force commander referred to the offensive as "the air invasion of Germany." The more enthusiastic protagonists of air power in London began speaking of the possibility of breaking the back of the German air forces in two or three weeks if the weather holds out.

The German air force apparently was driven to the earth today. Although conditions were ideal for combat and the American heavies were ferreting out some of Germany's most vital targets, the Germans put up only a token resistance.

The British for their part dropped a record one-night total of 4,000 tons of bombs last night on railroad installations near Paris and elsewhere behind the Nazis' "Atlantic Wall."

Greatest Attack of War

Aerial warfare never before has witnessed a bombardment of such sustained volume of violence, and the end is nowhere in sight. Those who have followed the European air war closely the last few months feel certain that the present pace of the attack can not only be maintained, but can be increased from British bombers augmented further from the Italian theater.

Allied thirty-hour offensive lost less than one per cent of the attacking force.

Allied Losses Small

All today's operations cost six bombers and two fighters, the American communiqué said. This brought total United States and RAF losses for the entire around-the-clock onslaughts to forty-two bombers and seven fighters.

The Americans today reported they shot down twenty-one of the small forces of German fighters that rose to meet them.

The three most recent phases of the invasion offensive saw about 1,000 American and 1,000 British bombers of the heaviest types bludgeoned against Germany's primed targets—her aircraft installations and key railroad centers upon which the armies depend to supply hundreds of miles of the fortified western coast. The remainder of the 10,000-ton invasion sorties were made by fighters, fighter-bombers and medium bombers.

Nazi Bombers Raid Southeast England

LONDON, April 19 (AP)—German bombers stabbed at England tonight for the second successive night but failed London's bristling defenses, which claimed thirteen raiders in a pre-dawn attack earlier today. Bombs fell in three districts in southeast England.

Governor Warren of California To Keynote G.O.P. Convention

Selection of West Coast Leader Is Approved By Leaders at Committee Meeting in Chicago



Gov. Earl Warren

Hope of Saving Rome Dashed by German Forces

Nazi Occupation May Doom Capital

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, April 19 (AP)—An effort by the Irish government to secure assurances from the Germans and the Allies that Rome will be spared the ravages of war apparently ended fruitfully today.

The attempt was disclosed with publication of an exchange of notes between Premier Eamon De Valera of Eire and President Roosevelt. De Valera's was a plea that the belligerents "seek through appropriate intermediary channels an agreement by which Rome may be saved." He said a similar note was sent to Berlin.

Mr. Roosevelt's reply was a reiteration of the Allied position—that the Allies are deeply concerned over the possibility that the Holy City may suffer, but its fate is up to the Germans.

"If the German forces were not entrenched in Rome, no question would arise concerning the city's preservation," Mr. Roosevelt told the Irish prime minister.

De Valera's note told the president that destruction of Rome would be "a major calamity for the human race" and added:

"Future generations will forget the military considerations which may now seem to dictate the occupation or possession of Rome; but should the city be destroyed, the fact of its destruction would be remembered forever."

"So too, should the city by agreement be spared, future generations will remember with enduring gratitude those states and their leaders who will have preserved for the ennoblement of mankind this great center of Christian faith and civilization."

Even as the communications were published, German broadcasts made clear that the Nazi government intends to continue the policy it has followed—a tongue-in-cheek declaration that Rome is an "open city" while making military use of it.

The situation, according to official views here, offers little hope that the ancient seat of one of the world's great religious faiths will be spared heavy destruction.

By JACK BELL
CHICAGO, April 19 (AP)—The Republicans called on tall, handsome Gov. Earl Warren of California today to sound the keynote for their June nominating convention in an apparent bid for the West coast support in the November election.

Warren, 53-year-old veteran leader of the California Republican organization, was the unanimous choice of the party's twenty-four-member arrangements committee for the temporary chairman and keynoter.

Martin To Be Chairman

House Minority Leader Joseph Martin of Massachusetts was recommended as permanent chairman, a post the convention itself officially fills. Backed by National Chairman Harrison E. Spangler and Walter Hallahan, chairman of the arrangements group, Warren was chosen after the names of a dozen other candidates had been brought before the committee's closed session.

These included several governors and senators as well as Representative Clare Booth Luce of Connecticut, for whom J. Kenneth Bradley, Connecticut national committeeman, made a personal campaign. Although leaders opposed the selection of a woman as keynoter, it was reported that Mrs. Luce would be invited to make an important speech at the convention.

Selection Is Popular

Warren's choice appeared to be satisfactory to all elements, with Bradley telling reporters he had "no quarrel" with the committee's decision.

Warren, who has the "favorite son" support of California's fifty convention delegates, has been considered a potential vice-presidential candidate, despite his insistence that he is not running for national office.

While committee members agreed it was unusual to name a keynoter who might figure in the subsequent balloting, they added that his designation as temporary chairman would in no way affect Warren's chances for either nomination. There has been much talk here of a ticket headed by Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, with Warren as his running mate.

Leaders pulled the Warren candidacy out of a hat at the last minute, after they had discarded earlier plans which apparently made Senator Arthur Vandenberg their favorite. Vandenberg may not even be a delegate to the convention.

Sweden To Keep On Giving Help To the Germans

Will Continue Export Business

STOCKHOLM, Thursday, April 20 (AP)—The government has informed the Swedish Parliament in secret session it would reject the United States-British request that it halt ball bearing exports to Germany, the newspaper Dagens Nyheter said today.

The paper said the reply had not yet been transmitted to Washington and London, however.

The Swedish Parliament is reported to have approved unanimously the decision by the Swedish cabinet, the Swiss radio said in a broadcast recorded by CBS.

(A Swedish ban upon the shipment to the Axis of ball-bearings, and machinery and materials for making the bearings, was asked by the United States in a recent note. Refusal to halt the shipments apparently will be made on grounds of national security.)

In the Swedish view the risk of reprisals from Germany is involved, whereas the Anglo-American demarche was not of an ultimative character involving threat of countermeasures in the event Sweden failed to heed the request.

The Dagens Nyheter said Parliament also was informed that the Swedish government intends to protest England's action restricting diplomatic mail, movement of personnel and safe-conduct air travel.

The newspaper added, it was "most likely" there would be no countermeasures taken by Sweden. Parliament also was understood to have received an hour-long report on the Finnish-Russian peace question.

Goebbels Defends Hitler on Eve of 55th Anniversary

Says Great Leaders All Have Setbacks

By JAMES M. LONG
LONDON, April 19 (AP)—Nazi Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels addressed an unusual appeal to the German people tonight to rally behind Adolf Hitler, who celebrates his fifty-fifth birthday tomorrow, reminding them that "even the greatest leaders of history will be faced with occasional setbacks and defeats."

In a similar but more restrained order of the day to the German army on the occasion of the Hitler birthday, Marshall Hermann Wilhelm Goering called for steady loyalty to Hitler even though "a thousand dangers may lie ahead."

Message Significant

The Goebbels message seemed significant in its implications. The Berlin radio broadcast more than 1,000 words of an address it said the propaganda chief delivered on the eve of Hitler's birthday at the German state opera house in Berlin, dwelling throughout on the difficulty of the German position, the righteousness of Nazi war aims and the necessity for sticking together in the hour of trial.

On the theme that things are not as bad as they seem, Goebbels said:

"It will not be possible to form an accurate and just idea of the individual war events and factors which have been decisive in the war until the war is over. x x x It needs a well-trained eye to discern the trend of historical developments while a war is still going on."

Suggesting that many Germans may not approve of Hitler, Goebbels recalled contemporary opposition to Frederick the Great.

Germany Will Rebuild

Of the damage caused by the Allied air raids on Germany, Goebbels remarked that "ten years after the peace has been declared there will hardly be any signs left of the destruction caused by the enemy's terror raids."

"All of us," Goebbels said, "consider ourselves engaged in the fuhrer's historic mission. For us the war aims are not only clearly defined but unalterable. So to serve our aims means to be loyal to the fuhrer and to follow him through all the storms of war. x x x

"It is difficult to remain true to the cause in a continuous unbroken fight for the life of a nation."

For Germans who might wonder how Hitler personally is reacting to the current trend of the war, Goebbels gave this picture:

"I have been with him (Hitler) in happy and critical hours. The fuhrer has always remained the same. I have never seen him desperate or undecided. x x x

"Even the greatest leaders of history will be faced with occasional setbacks and defeats. It is on those occasions that leaders can prove their true mettle. x x x

Fuehrer at the Helm

"The fuhrer as the man at the helm has weathered all storms. x x x The fuhrer has never been so dear to us as in moments of greatest danger. x x x

Goering in an order of the day broadcast by the Berlin radio and intended for publication tomorrow told the German armed forces that "no sacrifice and no privation" should be too great to make for Germany.



NOTHING CAN NOW BE DONE for "Spotty." He's gone. And little can be done to console Richard Trenkler, 11, who kneels in the road beside dying pal. But motorists—such as the one who hit "Spotty" near the Whitestone Bridge in New York—can look twice at this exclusive picture and, perhaps, be a bit more careful.

Tommy Hitchcock Killed in Crash

Famous Polo Player Victim of Accident

NEW YORK, April 19 (AP)—Lieut. Col. Thomas Hitchcock, Jr., one of America's most famous polo players of all time, was killed in an airplane crash at Salisbury, England, yesterday, his family announced tonight.

A member of the family said the crash occurred during a routine flight, and not in combat, so far as was known here.

Commanded P-51 Group

Hitchcock was assistant military attaché for air at the American embassy and commanded a P-51 Mustang group in the Ninth Air Support Command.

News of Hitchcock's death was the second blow for the family in approximately two weeks.

The polo player's nephew, Thomas Hitchcock Clark of Westbury, N. Y., recently was reported missing on a bombing raid over Europe.

Veteran of First War

The polo player, known as "Tommy" to thousands of sports fans in the United States and England, was engaged in his second war.

As the youngest member of the Lafayette Escadrille in World War I, he shot down two enemy planes. He was shot down and slightly wounded himself, was captured and later escaped to Switzerland. He was seventeen years old when he joined the Escadrille. Returning to the United States he entered Harvard from which he was graduated.

Judge To Speed Conspiracy Case

Orders Selection Of Jury at Once

WASHINGTON, April 19 (AP)—Justice Edward Eicher ordered an immediate start today on selection of a jury for the trial of thirty persons charged with conspiring with the Nazis against American democracy, over defense objections that the panel had been subjected to "intimidating" investigation.

The court issued the ruling after directing immediate arrangement of Edward James Smythe, the thirtieth defendant who was arrested yesterday at Au Sable Forks, New York, and boosting Smythe's bond to \$10,000.

His \$1,000 Held

Smythe's counsel, John J. Laughlin, had sought to delay the arrangement so he could confer with his client before Smythe entered a plea. He said he had not seen the defendant since he was retained as counsel. He also wanted Smythe's bond of \$1,000, forfeited when the defendant failed to appear Monday, restored. The court's answer to that was the ten-fold boost.

On advice of counsel, Smythe, who testified he had not known the trial was to start this week, stood mute at arraignment and the court entered a plea of innocent entered for him.

New Jury Panel Refused

Justice Eicher's refusal to throw out the jury panel and call a new venire was accompanied by a similar decision on various other motions of defense attorneys for a judicial inquiry into the investigation of prospective jurors by the department of justice, to give the defense access to documentary evidence held by the prosecution, and various other objections which had taken up the first two days of the trial.

Most of the day was consumed in testimony on the issue whether Smythe's absence was "willful."

Smythe, called to the stand said he had not received a letter from Laughlin advising him of the trial date, and asserted that interference with his mail has been "going on for months."

Asked who tampered with his mail, Smythe said:

"I presume the FBI. But I've been shadowed and persecuted, not only by the FBI but by certain subversive, pro-Communist organizations, which have been working hand in glove with this prosecution."

Invaders Driven From Positions Outside Imphal

Kohima Garrison Repulses Enemy

By THOBURN WIAIT
KANDY, CEYLON, April 19 (AP)—A British relief expedition from Dimapur has cracked the Kohima siege lines and tank-supported British and Indian troops have blasted Japanese invasion forces from three positions northeast of Imphal, sixty miles south of Kohima. It was announced today.

Breaking through a series of obstacles, British troops advancing southeastward from the railway line at Dimapur established contact with British and Indian troops who had been surrounded in the Kohima "Bo" thirty miles inside India, and preparations for a final assault to relieve the garrison are almost complete. It was announced in dispatches from Calcutta.

Tanks Climb Hills

Tanks and mountain guns man-handled into position on hills too steep for mules were used by the British.

(The counter actions came as Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten, commander-in-chief of the South-east Asia command, and Maj. Gen. George E. Stratemeyer of the Eastern Air Command settled in new headquarters far closer to the Burma front than their former establishments in New Delhi. Mountbatten moved this week to Ceylon, site of a major naval base. Stratemeyer and the United States Army Air Force headquarters were established in Calcutta, 800 miles nearer than New Delhi to the fighting zones.)

Kohima Garrison Held

Dispatches from two army observers, one inside Kohima and the other with the relieving force, reported the Kohima garrison had held on against a numerically superior Japanese force which attacked night and day.

In taking one hill at the edge of the rich plain surrounding Imphal, the tanks climbed within ten yards of the Japanese positions before opening fire, killing ninety-seven of the enemy and enabling Allied infantry to seize the summit.

There was no indication in today's communiqué from Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's headquarters that the Japanese had made progress at any point around strongly-defended Imphal or in the neighborhood of its sister base, Kohima, sixty miles to the north.

"Bitter Fighting" Reported

The bulletin said, however, that "bitter fighting" raged through the second day for an important hill position just south of the Bishenpur-Silchar jungle track, some twenty miles southwest of Imphal. As long as the trail to Silchar is kept open the garrison of Imphal is afforded at least jeep communication with a railroad at Silchar.

All along the thirty-five-mile mountain highway between Kohima and Dimapur on the Bengal-Assam railway, British and Indian troops were reported striking sharply at the Japanese. A crack Scottish regiment, aided by tanks and artillery drove the enemy from a series of bunkers about eight miles north of Kohima.

Roosevelt Denounced and Praised in Argument over Voting in South

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 19 (AP)—President Roosevelt was both denounced and defended today on the floor of the state Senate, which called into special session last night to repeal primary laws as a means of preventing negroes from participating in Democratic primaries.

Senator George Warren of Hampton, president of the Democratic convention in 1940 and chairman of the South Carolina delegation to the national convention the same year, asserted that "if it is necessary to be crucified politically in South Carolina, I am willing to be crucified provided it is an anti-Roosevelt cross."

Senator O. L. Long of Louisiana stepped to his feet and replied that

"the German people would give a great deal to get a talk across to their people like that which was made here x x x and I say that without reflection on the patriotism of my friend (Warren)."

Replying to Warren's charge that the recent decision of the United States Supreme Court affirming the right of negroes to participate in Texas primaries was inspired by President Roosevelt's attitude toward negroes, Long said "I think we are here x x x this week for something that has arisen from a great deal of propaganda to hurt the commander-in-chief, to hurt something into the issue they know will inflame the southern people when they know the destiny of our people is hanging in the balance."

Yanks Capture 2 German Fliers

A UNITED STATES HAVOC LIGHT BOMBER BASE IN ENGLAND, April 19 (AP)—Five American Air Force G. I.'s came to grips with the Germans a lot sooner than they expected—they captured two Nazi fliers shot down last night in a raid on England.

Corp. Robert Messick, Adena, O. and Pvt. James E. Mulachy, Frederick, Md., were pounding their midnight military police beats when a JU-88 crashed overhead in flames, crashed, and a flier floated down in his parachute into the woods only a few hundred yards away. He surrendered without fuss.

As the M.P.'s headed into the woods Sgt. Herbert Eckstein, Crestline, O., and Pvt. Ralph Zimmerman, 23, of 13 Crown street, Plainville, Conn., intelligence clerks, were starting across country in a jeep to deliver some secret documents, escorted by another M.P., Pfc. John W. Nabors, Morgantown, W. Va.

"I said I'd bet we'll go down the road and see a German too," Zimmerman recounted. "We hadn't gone more than four miles when we saw somebody standing by the road waving. Then I saw a swastika on his flying suit. He was saying 'kamerad, kamerad.'"

Zimmerman hopped out and while Nabors held a gun and Eckstein a light, frisked the flier and relieved him of his revolver and flare pistol.

"He was very agreeable and hoped into the jeep as if he had been doing that all his life," Zimmerman said.

Kirke L. Simpson Says: American Air Raid on Andaman Islands Gives Japs New Problem

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst
Although the Japanese thrust in India toward communication lines of General Stilwell's Chinese-American forces has centered public attention here and in England on that sector, it is a fair guess that developments a thousand miles to the south are gravely troubling Tokyo.

An American air raid on the Andaman Islands in the Bay of Bengal has been reported from Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's new headquarters in Kandy, Ceylon. The planes blasted at Japanese shipping in Port Blair harbor on the lower end of the south Andaman group.

That is the best harbor in the Andaman and Nicobar groups that lie off Burma, the Malay peninsula and Sumatra. There is no doubt that they figured importantly in Allied high strategy concepts underlying the creation of the Allied

southeastern Asia command and the assignment of Admiral Mountbatten to that post.

The jurisdiction of this outstanding British navy exponent of amphibian Commando operations extends also, apparently, to northeastern India and Northern Burma. His assignment left no reasonable doubt, however, that the main Allied attack from the west on the Japanese-held Dutch Indies and the Malay peninsula will be an amphibian thrust from bases across the Bay of Bengal in Southern India and Ceylon.

That is Mountbatten's offensive front. His land forces and air power in Burma and India are primarily on the defensive. That distinction to military minds is sharply drawn. It probably accounts for the optimism with which both Mountbatten's headquarters and General Auchinleck, British commander in India, have viewed the Japanese incursions into India.

90 Australian Girls Reach U. S.

Brides, Fiances Of Yanks Arrive

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19 (AP)—Ninety young Australian women, brides and fiancées of United States servicemen, arrived today, curious and hopeful about life in this country.

Clothes and food were their first interest as they looked forward to a life about which so many glowing tales had been told them by the Americans in Australia.

Curious about America

"We've been very curious about America," said Mrs. Doris Jean LeBash.

"The American boys back home (in Melbourne) bluntly told some of us we in Australia were ten years behind the times. They told us we couldn't wear these kinds of clothes. And they told us we'd never see such beautiful girls as we'd see in this country."

"I'm waiting to be shown," she commented firmly, but pleasantly. She had her mild complaint, offered banteringly.

Wants Irish Stew

"We don't like your American food very much. The bread is too sweet, the butter too salty. But we should learn to get along, just as we can get some good Irish stew now and then."

Tax Load on Fun May Be Reduced

By FRANCIS M. LEMAY
WASHINGTON, April 19 (AP)—A movement developed in Congress today to take some of the wartime tax load off of fun with Rep. Knutson (R-Minn.) introducing a bill to cut the cabaret tax from thirty to ten per cent.

Knutson declared that the stiff levy imposed April 1 was putting thousands of entertainers out of work and closing night clubs. By the "law of diminishing returns," he added, it also is causing a reduction in revenue.

The tax-writing House Ways and Means committee, meantime, tentatively approved a shifting of burdens on individual taxpayers which the Congress staff of experts recommended as necessary to approach a basis for simplifying and "streamlining" the income tax statutes.

Chairman Doughton (D-N.C.) said that generally the increase or decrease in taxes, under the simplification plan, would not be large. The \$1,200 a year married man without children would be hardest hit, his tax jumping from \$21 to \$61 a year.

One committee source said the overall effect of the simplification measure, if made law, would be to reduce the annual tax load of the 50,000,000 income taxpayers by \$60,000,000.

The committee's plan would relieve 30,000,000 taxpayers from filing any further returns, by adjusting the withholding levy so as to take the total tax liability from wages and salaries of persons earning up to \$5,000. It also would simplify the tax computations of the other 20,000,000 taxpayers.

Senator Tydings Opens Campaign

BALTIMORE, April 19 (AP)—Senator Millard E. Tydings (D-Md.) opened his formal campaign for renomination tonight by reading a personal letter of thanks from President Roosevelt for Tydings's assistance in the adoption of specific legislation.

Tydings declared that "this letter shows how completely false are the studied efforts of a few (to show) that in the War I have not given all the best that I possess."

Radcliffe Supports Senator Tydings

WASHINGTON, April 19 (AP)—Senator George L. Radcliffe (D-Md.) announced today his support of Senator Millard E. Tydings (D-Md.) in the latter's campaign for the Democratic renomination and reelection, declaring that "the best interests of the state" would be served if Tydings were returned to Congress.

AFL and CIO Demand Wages, Prices Be Restored to Their '42 Levels

WASHINGTON, April 19 (AP)—The AFL and the CIO got together long enough today to demand jointly that price controls be continued intact and that wages and prices be brought back to their September 15, 1942, relationship and tied there.

These two great factions in organized labor heretofore have joined forces on a major matter only in the instance of labor's no-strike pledge to the president.

William Green, president of the AFL, told the Senate Banking committee that "I am authorized to submit in behalf of the x x x organization named," these recommendations.

That Congress pass the pending OPA extension bill "intact, with adequate funds for enforcement."

That Congress extend OPA's rationing "of essential civilian goods and prevent extortionate profiteering which is precipitating the inflationary rise in living costs."

That "a restoration of the relationship between prices and wages which existed September 15, 1942, is absolutely essential to make the law work equitably and build the morale of American workers to the highest degree of efficiency."

Nazis Repulsed In Old Poland

LONDON, April 19. (AP)—In an all-out drive to save their vital base at Lwow, the Germans have launched a large-scale attack near Stanislawow in the southeastern corner of Old Poland, but have been repulsed, the Russians announced tonight in a communique that for the first time in weeks failed to record some notable Red army advance.

In the Crimea, the Russians said, the enemy was dislodged from several strongly-fortified defense centers around Sevastopol, but the battle for that Priz Black Sea port took on more and more the character of a siege, and was dismissed with a single sentence in the communique.

WPB District Offices Are Granted New Authority

Additional public service is now available directly through the Clarksburg-Wheeling District War Production Board offices, Manager A. H. Cooper announced yesterday.

As a further step in decentralization of WPB activities from national and regional headquarters, the Clarksburg-Wheeling district offices have now been given authority to process applications for priority assistance up to \$25,000 when no rating is available to the applicant under any WPB order or plan. Such applications, formerly known as PD-1A's, are made on form WPB-541.

The district offices also have been granted permission to process applications for construction of facilities up to \$100,000, with certain exceptions.

Previously, Cooper explained, the dollar value of WPB-541 applications the district offices could process was limited to \$2,500 and the limit on applications for construction was \$25,000.

Under the new authority, the WPB field offices will be permitted to process applications amending original construction authorizations to increase the cost of a project to over \$100,000. The effect of such an amendment must not, however, increase the project cost by more than fifty per cent of the previous estimate.

NEW VOTERS MUST REGISTER TUESDAY

The Allegany County Board of Supervisors of Election will meet today at 7 p. m. in the court house to make final preparations for the registration of new voters Tuesday, April 25, and the primary election on Monday, May 1.

Judges and clerks for the seventy-five polling places throughout the county will be checked.

The registration of new voters will be held from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., on Tuesday, April 25, and not Tuesday, April 24, as previously published.

Hours of voting for the primary May 1 will be 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

The deadline for making application for absentee ballots by men and women in the service who desire to vote in the primary election is Monday, April 24.

Elks Appoint Mosner As District Deputy

John H. Mosner, past exalted ruler of Cumberland lodge No. 88, B. P. O. Elks, has been appointed district deputy grand exalted ruler by the Elks grand lodge.

As district deputy, Mosner becomes the grand lodge representative for Maryland, Delaware and the District of Columbia lodges.

THREE LOCAL GIRLS WILL LEAVE TODAY FOR WAVE TRAINING

Three WAVE enlistees, Miss Margaret Marie Schell, 21, of 503 Williams street, daughter of William G. Schell, 409 Wilmer street; Mrs. Virginia Kage Yantz, 22, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Kage, rear of 23 West First street, and Mrs. Christine Pecan Martin, 24, daughter of Mrs. John Pecan, Sayre, Pa., will leave today for Hunter college, The Bronx, New York City, to begin WAVE training.

Attended Fort Hill
Miss Schell, who attended Fort Hill high school, has been employed as a telephone operator at Allegany hospital since January. She was a member of the Fort Hill Glee Club. One brother, Pvt. William K. Schell, is serving with the army in Camp Robinson, Ark.

Mrs. Yantz, a graduate of Allegany high school, class of 1940, has been employed as a trucker at the Celanese plant since November 1940. Her husband, Staff Sgt. William E. Yantz, is stationed at Shreveport, La., with the air corps, and her sister, Pfc. Mary Kage, is with the marine corps at Cherry Point, N.C.

Was Celanese Employee
Mrs. Martin, on the staff at the Celanese plant since July, 1941, is a graduate of Julia Richmond high school for girls, New York City, and of Lebanon Business college, Lebanon, Pa. She has two sisters and a brother, all in service. One sister is supervisor of Halloran General hospital for Soldiers, New York City; another sister is now in the SPAR training in Florida, and her brother is with the marine corps at Parris Island, S. C.

Local WAVES To Report For Hospital Duty

Two local WAVES, Miss Phyllis Elizabeth McElfish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe M. McElfish, 208 Maryland avenue, and Miss Fannie Roberts Wilson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frank M. Wilson, 654 Washington street, completed a month's training course at Bethesda naval hospital Monday and are home on a seven-day leave.

Miss McElfish, a hospital corpsman first class, will report Monday to the New River, N. C., Marine Base hospital.

Miss Wilson, also a hospital corpsman first class, has been ordered to report for hospital duty at the Norfolk Navy Operating Base hospital at the end of her leave.

Prizes Are Awarded At Art Exhibition

Arthur H. Stull's "Eventide" an oil painting, took first prize in the annual exhibition of work by Allegany county artists at the Cumberland Free Public Library, judges have announced.

Second prize went to "Road in Eckhart," by Richard F. Coffman, and third prize to John L. Wellington's, "Winter."

A water color by William S. Sparks, "Smith's Farm," and another oil painting by Stull received honorable mention.

There are thirty-eight paintings, all by Cumberland and Allegany county amateurs, on exhibition at the show which will continue daily, (except Saturday and Sunday), from 7 to 9 p. m. until April 28.

Perdew Pays \$5 Fine

Walter L. Perdew, 507 Central avenue, was fined \$5 and costs Tuesday after he pleaded guilty to a charge of exceeding thirty miles an hour on McMullen highway Sunday. Charges were preferred before Magistrate Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., in trial magistrates court by Trooper Milton G. Hart.

MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

Mrs. Gladys Ward, 421 Furnace street, received word that her son, Corp. Philip Ward has arrived safely in Ireland. Mrs. Ward has two other sons in the service, Pfc. George Ward, who is also in Ireland, and Daniel Ward with the merchant marine.

Tech. Sgt. James E. Martin, son of Mrs. L. C. Martin, 613 Fairview avenue, has arrived in England.

Frederick D. Stutcher, husband of Mrs. Madonna Stutcher, 440 Columbia street, is stationed at Bainbridge naval training station.

Pfc. Paul Jeffrey, field artillery, has returned to Camp Pickett, Va., after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jeffrey, Detroit street, Lonaconing. Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey have two other sons in the service, Pfc. John Jeffrey, anti-aircraft, Fourth air force, at Camp Muroc, Calif., who is now home on furlough and Pvt. Francis Jeffrey, paratrooper who is stationed in England. Before entering the army the three brothers were employed by the Celanese corporation.

Cpl. Michael A. O'Rourke has returned to Camp Davis, N. C., after spending a furlough with his mother, Mrs. Matilda O'Rourke, Lonaconing.

Charles J. Hull, aviation machinist's mate first class, United States Navy, has completed three months of physical conditioning and ground school work at the United States Navy Pre-Flight school at Athens, Ga., and has been transferred to the naval air station at Memphis, Tenn., to begin progressive flight training preparatory to joining a combat unit, Hull, a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hull, Route 1, Cumberland, reported to Athens from the CAA war training service school, Lafayette, Ind.

Pvt. David W. Sloan III, 609 Sedgewick street, has been transferred from Camp Polk, La., to Camp Breckenridge, Ky. He was recently awarded a Good Conduct medal. His brother, Sgt. John W. Sloan, U. S. M. C., has been transferred from Camp Lejeune, N. C., to Drew Field, Fla.

Sgt. Joseph F. Ruffo, Frostburg and Cumberland, recently arrived at an undisclosed military post in the Pacific war zone.

Roger Xavier Day Jr., S. 1-C, Frostburg, is stationed at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, Tenn.

Heleen E. Thuss, ANC, this city, has been promoted to the rank of first lieutenant at the Newton D. Baker General hospital, Martinsburg, W. Va., where she is assigned to the eye, ear, nose and throat clinic. Lt. Thuss served in North Africa for several months.

Pvt. Alphonsus J. Madero, 12 Beverly Place, and Roy T. Craze, 512 Baltimore avenue, are stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Staff Sgt. Homer E. Weller, of Hancock, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross "for extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flights in the Southwest Pacific."

John D. Straw, 213 Davidson street, and John R. Rank, Valley road, are stationed at the Bainbridge Naval Training Center.

Jimmy Loar, U. S. Army, Walker Air Base, Kansas, is spending a short furlough with his mother, Mrs. Vivian Loar Hughes, and sister, Mrs. G. W. Tipton, Jr. Two other brothers, S. Sgt. Michael Loar, has been overseas nearly two years with the army, and Bernard Loar, seaman second class, United States Navy, is in Rhode Island.

Pfc. Francis I. McElwee has been promoted to corporal in England where he is attached to the Quar-

Events in Brief

A total of \$35.50 was raised at the song and piano recital given by Miss Louise Sansbury with John S. Gridley as accompanist, Monday evening at Emmanuel Episcopal church parish house. The offering will be divided between the choir and the church debt fund.

The Pierce-Deming Circle of the First Presbyterian church will meet at 1:30 o'clock today in the church house, with Mrs. Catherine White, Mrs. William Jenkins and Mrs. Jessie White as hostesses.

The Pleasant Grove 4-H Girls Club will meet at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening at the home of Leah Drake.

The Frances E. Willard Bible class of Kingsley Methodist church will hold a covered dish supper at 6 o'clock this evening in the church basement. A business session will follow with Mrs. Ruth Britt presiding.

The Bedford Road 4-H Girls Club will meet at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening at the home of Ethel Simons, Bedford road.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. John's Lutheran church will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the church, guests of Mrs. John Bender and Miss Edna Chadwick. Mrs. Charles Davy will preside.

Mrs. B. W. Rice will be hostess to members of the Mizpah class of the First Baptist church at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at her home, 484 Baltimore avenue, with Mrs. Gladys Gannon as co-hostess.

Registration of children to enter LaVale school next fall will be held from 3:30 to 5 o'clock today and tomorrow at the school.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary Red Cross sewing group will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the home.

The Guiding Star class of Mt. Herman church will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the home of Mrs. Howard Messick, Messick road.

The Woman's Association of Southminster Presbyterian church will hold a rummage sale Friday from 6:30 p. m. to 8:30 p. m. in the church basement, corner of Race and Third streets.

St. Mary's circle will hold a rummage sale at 7:30 p. m. today in Emmanuel parish house, Washington street.

Three Births Reported

Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Hartley, Armatas, Pa., announce the birth of a son yesterday afternoon in Memorial hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson, Bedford, Pa., last night in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Woolard, 10 Columbia street, announce the birth of a son yesterday morning in Allegany hospital.

lermaster Corps. He is the husband of Mrs. Marie McElwee, 533 Port avenue, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. McElwee, 407 Decatur street.

Mrs. Elsie Nave, 611 Bedford street, has been advised of the arrival in England of her husband, Cpl. Carl H. Nave.

Staff Sgt. John E. "Jack" Pazembaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Pazembaker, 430 Walnut street, Westernport, arrived overseas.

James E. Pazembaker, S. 2-C A-4 (MC) of Lonaconing, has been moved from Shoemaker, Calif. care of P.P.O., San Francisco.

Mrs. J. C. Clem, Keyser, W. Va., received word her son, Adrian, United States Navy, has been moved from Guadalcanal, where he had been twelve months. He has been promoted to a chief petty officer.

Mrs. Frank Leo, Frederick street, has been advised of the arrival in England of her daughter, Lt. Nancy Jane Leo, ANC.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Weber, 846 Greene street, received word their son, Sgt. Francis E. Weber has arrived in England.

Personals

Miss Anita Cooke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Cooke, 219 Fayette street, has accepted a position as stenographer with the Revere Company, Baltimore. She is a graduate of Ursuline Academy 1943 and was a student at the Ursuline Business school.

Lieut. Marshall Williams will arrive today from Ellington field, Houston, Texas, to spend a ten-day leave with his wife at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Meyers, 224 Washington street and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Williams, 230 Schley street.

Corp. F. Allan Weatherholt returned to Fort Bragg, N. C., yesterday after visiting Mrs. Weatherholt at their home, 512 Cumberland street.

Lieut. Edna Hipsley army nursing corps, stationed at the state hospital, Fort Bliss, Texas, is home for a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hipsley, 432 Laing avenue.

Margaret Leasure, Bedford street, is home from Memorial hospital, where she underwent an appendectomy.

Pvt. Wilbert L. Davis has returned to Camp Crowder, Mo., after spending a seven day furlough with his wife and parents at their home, 347 Frederick street.

Fred A. Small, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Small, 23 Washington street has returned to Manlius school, Manlius, N. Y., after spending a sixteen day spring vacation here.

Four sisters of R. C. Baker, Ridgeley, Mrs. Nancy Stevens, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Dewey Helmick and daughter, Louise, Parkersburg, W. Va.; Mrs. John Phillips, Parsons, and Mrs. Lee Moore and son, Robert, Davis, W. Va., spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Baker.

Petty Officer Second Class Joseph P. Hoyle, returned to the United States Naval Training Station, Bainbridge, after visiting his wife, the former Miss Doris Weber, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Weber, 846 Greene street.

Lieut. Angela Leo, A. N. C., is spending a six-day furlough with her mother, Mrs. Frank Leo, 328 Frederick street. Lieut. Leo is stationed at Wilson Memorial hospital, Staunton, Va.

Pvt. Clayton F. Blume, Fort Benning, Ga., is at his home, 52 Oak street, on a ten-day furlough.

Mrs. George R. Alexander, Williams road, is a patient at the Memorial hospital where she underwent a major operation.

Mrs. Lindley R. Taylor, 307 Baltimore avenue, is able to be out after three weeks illness.

Eugene B. Stein, 605 North Mechanic street, is a patient at Allegany hospital.

Pvt. Joseph E. Nies, husband of Mrs. Ann M. Nies, 543 North Centre street, has completed basic training at Camp Croft, S. C., and is home on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lewis Martin and daughter, Gale Ellen Martin, who visited Mrs. Minor Martin, 841 Columbia avenue, returned to Baltimore.

S. Sgt. Charles R. Souders and his wife, Pvt. Marie (Teter) Souders, returned to their bases after visiting her father, Opha B. Teter, Route 1, Ridgeley, W. Va. Sgt. Souders is stationed at Camp McCoy, Wis., while Pvt. Souders is at Chanute Field, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Snelson, Frostburg, and Mrs. Bruce C. Cook, Hyndman, were in Washington visiting the latter's husband, Bruce C. Cook, S. 2-C, who is stationed at Newport, R. I.

Raymond L. Beck returned to the amphibious training center, Little Creek, Va., after visiting his home, 103 Decatur street.

Mrs. Nellie Wilson Footer, 402 Washington street, returned Tuesday night from a three months' visit to California. She spent some time with her son, Dr. Wilson Footer, San Francisco; her cousin, Mrs. Carl Perry, former resident, at Laguna Beach, and also visited Los Angeles.

Mrs. Fred Hamilton, 228 Cecelia street, is a patient in Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Elsie Kilroy, this city, past president of the Department of Maryland Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, installed Vera Nave as president of John R. Fairgrieve, Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, Frostburg, Tuesday evening.

Other officers installed were Anna Struntz, senior vice president; Margaret Higgins, junior vice president; Helen Stevens, treasurer; Frances Sluss, secretary; Bessie Wilson, chaplain; Elizabeth Stevens, conductress; Margaret Woods, patriotic instructor; Ruth Creggan, Ann Harris, Mary Bender and Kathleen Herwig, color bearers; Nellie Ravenscraft, historian; Margaret Rawlston, guard; Genevieve Goldworthy, musician, and Margaret Smith, Margaret Woods and Pearl Eberly, trustees.

Bessie Quinlin, member of the Capital Auxiliary, Washington, D.C., was the guest speaker and stressed what will be expected of auxiliary members in reference to the boys, after the war.

A gift was presented to Mrs. Kilroy at the social hour which concluded the evening, at which time refreshments were served. Besides Mrs. Kilroy members from here attending were Mrs. Grace Bosenburg, Mrs. Helen Bujac, Mrs. Catherine O'Toole, Mrs. Rosalie Everstine and Mrs. Andrea Golladay.

The Past Councilors Club, Pride of Allegany Council, No. 100, Daughters of America donated \$25

to the Red Cross and \$10 to the Servicemen and women's lounge, instead of celebrating the seven-teenth anniversary of the council with a party.

The Past Chief's club of the council will hold a Fellowship supper in honor of the new officers May 1 at the Junior Order hall, with Mrs. Anna Jenkins as chairman. Plans were formulated at the meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Genevieve Wagner, Fayette street, and Mrs. Elsie D. Lehr was appointed chairman for the Mother's day program to be held May 15 at the hall.

A social hour followed the business session and awards were won by Mrs. Ethel Lovenstein, Mrs. Fae Lee Burner, Mrs. Agnes Love and Mrs. Irma Moore. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Wagner and Mrs. Anna Jenkins, co-hostesses.

The next meeting will be held May 9 at the home of Mrs. Margaret Hixon, Maryland avenue, with Mrs. Anna Robinette as co-hostess.

Girl Scouts Will Dedicate Honor Roll

The Girl Scout honor roll will be dedicated at an open house to be held in the near future at the little house, Mrs. Morris Barnes announced at the meeting of the Girl Scout Council Tuesday.

Mrs. Franklin W. Kremer reported that she had contacted the leaders association and it was voted to hold two court of awards a year. While the Brownies do not receive awards they may take part in the ceremony, she announced. She also reported the scouts had collected at the theaters for the Red Cross in March.

Activities included organizing a new troop No. 11 at Cresaptown, under the sponsorship of the Parent-Teacher association there. Elizabeth S. Higgs is the leader with Dorothy Louterback assisting. Other new leaders are Mrs. Russell Harrison, assistant at Troop 33;

Miss Ann Young, leader at Troop 34 with Mrs. Blair Bishop and Madelyn Wallace assisting. Mrs. William M. Somerville reported on the Co-ordinating committee meeting and led a discussion, "Problems of Our Children," by Henry Holzhauer reported on the conference held in Martinsburg last week.

Church Circle Meets

The Margaret Brown Circle of Trinity Methodist church met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Erma Hershberger, 206 Fourth street, with Mrs. Roy E. Davy, leader.

The topic was "Ascending to China," and Miss Catherine G. Lett, Mrs. Margaret Mahoney, Beatrice Rudiger, Mrs. Thomas Hixon, Mrs. Edward Nield and Mrs. Ruth Doremus took part in the discussion.

Soldier boxes will be sent to Capt. Strieby, Walter Reed and Donald Hinsley. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Mary Humbertson, Bowling Green, May 23.

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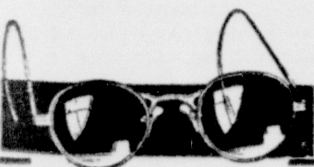
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Ickes Disagrees With John L. Lewis On Pay for Miners

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Ickes, who has been chief operator of the mines since last November 3 under an agreement with the United Mine Workers president, said he believed the miners were entitled to prompt payment of the \$40 per man as retroactive travel time but that Lewis's public statements "necessitate a clarification of the issue."

Ickes said he has told the operators they should, as a matter of equity, make the payment promptly but that he is powerless to order payment because the liability covers a period of non-government operation.

Lewis and more than seventy per cent of the industry have agreed on a \$40 settlement for last April, May and June, but provision for this payment is a single item in an integrated contract which the War Labor Board has delayed acting upon for other reasons.

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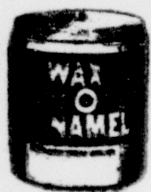
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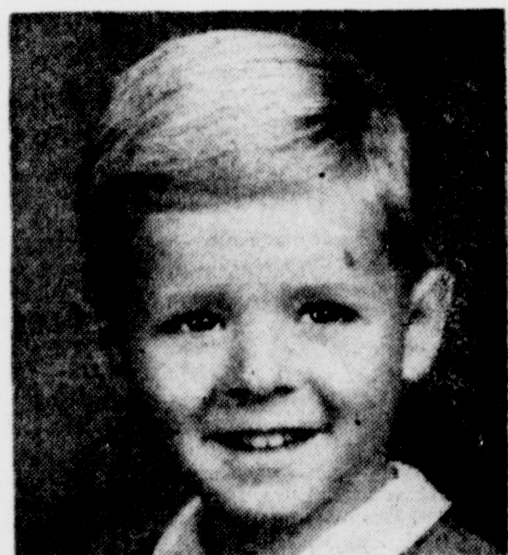
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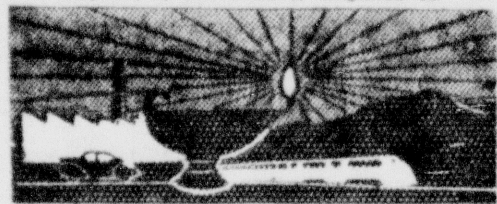
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A Measure To Put Bureaucracy in Place

MENTION has been made in this department of the bill introduced in Congress by Representative John W. Gwynne, of Iowa, H. R. 4314, known as the Fair Government Practices act. Its purpose is to improve the relations between private citizens and governmental authorities, to facilitate the administration of justice, to protect civil rights and to preserve constitutional government.

The measure has ten objectives. It would:

First. Make available to the public complete information regarding government rules and regulations so that citizens affected by them can be fully advised of their rights and obligations under the law.

Second. Protect the public against "fishing expeditions" by limiting the growing flood of investigations, reports, and questionnaires to the minimum requirement of law enforcement and efficient government administration.

Third. Prevent the invention by government agencies of new or special penalties or restrictions not expressly authorized by the Congress.

Fourth. Prevent penalizing the citizen for the faults of government whether arising from delays in ruling on conduct requiring government approval or from sudden changes in the applicable rules.

Fifth. Restate the basic rules covering the availability and scope of judicial review so that the citizen may readily determine the nature and extent of his right to file "day in court" to contest the arbitrary or unlawful acts of administrative officials.

Sixth. Attempt to guarantee impartial, unbiased decisions by government agencies by requiring the separation of functions of "prosecutor" and "judge."

Seventh. Undertake to create a better understanding between the citizen and his government by giving the citizen a better opportunity to have a voice in the making of rules and regulations which affect his welfare and livelihood.

Eighth. Protect the citizen against any "star chamber" proceedings by restating the oft-forgotten principle that a man is innocent until proved guilty and by requiring due notice and a full opportunity to be heard and to meet any evidence against him before any judgment or decision can be rendered.

Ninth. Require that administrative decisions be reached on the basis of evidence—not surmise or conjecture, and only after an unbiased appraisal of all the evidence and an impartial exercise of judgment and discretion.

Tenth. Permit more intelligent judicial review of administrative action by clearly distinguishing those government practices which are compatible with good government and due process of law from abuses which can only undermine public confidence and jeopardize our constitutional system.

While these are the basic objectives, the bill has been carefully drawn to avoid any interference with the war program, this being by exemption of the function rather than the agency. Emergency agencies having regulatory powers but no military, naval or diplomatic functions are covered. Conceivably there will be some difficulty about those functions in view of the propensity of bureaucrats to hang the war excuse on all their activities, but the provisions will have salutary restrictive effect here.

In brief, the measure would curb bureaucracy, which has grown to prodigious proportions and is eating into the vitals of government as well as restricting the rights of citizens, constituting one of the greatest menaces confronting Americans today. It is high time some check on this corrosive element should be provided. In fact, such restrictions and regulations are provided should be welcomed by bureaucrats and people alike as both would get along much better under fair and equitable practices such as are essential to orderly and efficient government.

International Spelling Bee

WHEN the Russians moved into Rumania fast on the heels of the fleeing Germans, the readers of one newspaper discovered that one of the chief Soviet objectives was the city of Cernauti. Readers of another newspaper learned that it was Cernowitz the Reds were after.

Sometimes these two names appeared in the same newspaper. Public confusion was natural, for Cernauti and Cernowitz are the same place. The spelling depended on whether the dispatch carried an As-

sociated Press, United Press or International News Service identifying mark. One is the native spelling, the other the Anglicized version.

Now the three major news services have decided on a uniform style. That style is based on the usage of the National Geographic Society, which in turn follows the form current in the various foreign countries themselves. Thus, overnight, Rumania became Romania in most newspapers.

But the newspaper spelling code has made certain capitulations to custom. Of 40,000 names listed by the National Geographic Society, seventy-eight exceptions to the strict rule have been agreed on because the Anglicized form has been crystallized in general usage. Here are a few samples of the exceptions:

Germany: Brunswick for Braunschweig; Munich for Muenchen; Cologne for Koeln; Vienna for Wien. Russia: Moscow for Moskva; Sea of Azov for Azovskoe More; Caucasus mountains for Bolshoi Kavkaz; Crimea for Krymski Polostrov. Poland: Warsaw for Warszawa; Brest Litovsk for Brzesad Buglem. Italy: Rome for Roma; Florence for Firenze; Venice for Venezia. Miscellaneous: Bucharest for Bucuresti; The Hague for Gravenhage; Formosa for Taiwan.

The reasons for retaining these forms are apparent. They are so familiar that a return to the native spelling would lead to confusion. In fact, it would seem that further exceptions might have been made. Nuremberg will now go back to Nurnberg. The Dnieper and Dniester rivers become the Dnepr and Dnestr. At any rate, introduction of a uniform system for the spelling of proper names will be an aid to persons who try to keep up with the geography of the war.

Old Jobs Not So Attractive Now

AN INTERESTING SIDELIGHT on postwar employment is offered in a report indicating that little more than half the servicemen from one county—Genesee in New York—expect to return to their old jobs after the war. The report summarizes a survey conducted by Carlton A. Sears, of Batavia, community chairman of the Committee for Economic Development, who has been assembling data on industrial and commercial employment potentials after the war at the committee's request.

A letter was addressed to each of 3,000 servicemen and women from Genesee county, many of whom are overseas, and 1,034 replies have been received so far. Of these, 546 men and women said they wanted their old jobs back, while 130 had "other plans of their own," ninety-nine wanted different jobs because of special training they had received in the services, ninety-two did not know, seventy-five hoped to resume their educations, fifty-eight planned to enter or resume business for themselves, twenty-three wanted to live in other communities and eleven wanted to remain in uniform after the war.

The results of the survey show to some extent how active participation in the war has affected the thinking of Americans who have been taken out of their former occupational careers. That many apparently will want their old jobs back was naturally to be expected, for that is where they feel they fit best in normal times. That almost as many others may be disposed to make a change is not surprising. Warring in places far removed from home seems likely to have changed their outlook on their former peacetime situation.

Many have discovered and developed new skills and aptitudes, in some cases out-ranging previously conceived availability. Others may have had their viewpoint confused, their regard to security shaken. All, it goes without saying, have advanced in maturity in course of rigorous and uncompromising personal experience.

Whether in or out of uniform after the war, whether settling down to familiar routine or looking for self-establishment elsewhere, the veterans of this war will have developed new individual stature, new capacity for adjustment, that should serve them progressively on occupational counts.

Ever Get into a Slump?

By MARSHALL MASLIN

I remember talking to a baseball player who'd been in a "slump" for weeks. His batting average had fallen off from .340 to .190, which means—if you don't happen to understand baseball—that he wasn't getting even one hit out of five times at bat.

He was catching and throwing as well as ever. His eyes didn't hurt. He wasn't tired, wasn't sick. He felt fine, he said. And he was hitting the ball well, too. . . . The only trouble, a serious one, was that he was hitting it directly into the hands of infielders and outfielders. He'd stand up there at the plate, take a good cut at the ball, and smack it far out. But there was always a man under it to catch it—and he'd wander disconsolately back to the bench and sit down and put his head between his hands and cuss. . . .

Maybe he'd get into the dumps and lose his spirit and start worrying and be unable to sleep and be quite worthless to the club.

But suddenly he'd snap out of it. . . . He'd get up there wondering if his jinx was still with him and the pitcher would shoot the ball over the plate and he'd drive it over the short-stop's head and the sun would be shining for him and life would be bright and cheerful, too. And the slump would be over.

Well, everybody in one way or another knows how the ball player in a slump feels. The housewife in the home, the man on the job, the doctor, the lawyer, the farmer, the sailor, the engineer, the actor—the adult and the child—all have their times when life loses its salt and dreams go dead and the gold they seek seems far beyond all possibility of attainment by mortal hands. The pulse is low and the rhythm is slack and joyful confidence grows languid and pale. . . . The human spirit is in a SLUMP.

But as the young ball player regains his "bating eye," so does the eye of the spirit regain its keenness and life. . . . And the spirit, too, comes out of its slump and is at the peak of happiness again.

Wholesale Charity Would Hurt World, Paul Mallon Says

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, April 19—Treasury Secretary Morgenthau is again taking up the postwar world bank proposal in which the basic idea is that the United States contribute the bulk of the money, but forfeit a control commensurate with its investment.

State Assistant Secretary Berle is in London negotiating for a post-war air agreement, but he says, not considering the acquisition of air bases for the United States. Ex-Gov. Lehman is working on food rehabilitation whereby we contribute the food and other officials are laboring on world WPA plans which call for the United States to finance reconstruction.

The working basis upon which all are proceeding in all these things seems to be approximately the same, namely that this country must give but not take. Our negotiators seem inclined to look at this nation as rich and powerful, and they wish to be free with its power as well as money.

Are Sincere

They are perfectly sincere. Their premise is that we must "help" the world, but they follow it so deeply that they want to repudiate every thought of gain for us as unworthy, any thought of acquisition as almost a sin.

But take the long range view. Suppose we spend and lend post-war money throughout the world for its rehabilitation. At first sight, that looks like real help, and it is—temporarily.

It is just about the same help as a shot in the arm, only that. Then come the after-effects. After the money is spent, or when the loan cannot be repaid, you begin to get the real appraisal of such help.

Foreign nations cannot repay except in goods, but we can take only a very limited amount. For them to borrow more and more money from us never improves their position, only plunges them further and further in a debt they already cannot pay.

Help Only Temporary

But to give them the money outright helps them only temporarily also. If it enables them to build industries that compete with ours, it hurts our trade, weakens our position for good in the world and gives them some improved position as against us—but does it "help" the world as a whole?

Of course not. It only helps France, or Poland, or whatever nation, as against the United States, which really hurts the world, if you assume that our leadership and our superior position is good for the world in the first place—as you must.

The only way a real constructive, economic "help" could be achieved is if we get something productive economically out of such gifts and loans—if we get business, for instance, that improves our people or trade, or airfields that strengthen our position and our leadership.

This is not nationalism, imperialism, or such tommy-rot; it is the simplest common sense.

Charity, Not Economics

The whole thing, therefore, seems to be getting off on the wrong foot—the idea of giving unbalance by acquiring, the notion of weakening the world, not building it up—and I mean weakening in every respect because a man who makes a loan to another who cannot repay, weakens both himself and the donor. This can only be justified as charity, not economics.

The handling of the situation demands wisdom and restraint. On the world bank, the first questions that must arise from any common-sense standpoint is whether it is needed, whether existing exchange facilities (already managed completely by our government) are not enough for any good use.

Second question is the maintenance of the American dollar value. If it is maintained as a respectable norm to the people of our country and the world, will this not in itself "help" the world?

LED PALAU RAIDERS



HERE IS Vice Adm. Marc Mitscher (above) who commanded the United States carrier task forces in the gigantic raid on Palau, which cost the Japs forty-six ships and 214 planes. Col. Carlos P. Romulo, of the Philippine war cabinet, declared that the Palau attack showed the Japs that the Philippines were coming within American reach.



Labor Board Oversteps Law, Lawrence Says, in Decreeing Penalties for Workers

more than a fifty cent dollar or a worthless dollar?

Comparison in Money

Compare the effects of the Chinese yen and American dollar on world stability today, and you will have what I mean (and we are already using slugs for nickels).

On the other postwar subjects, the same basic issue is at stake. The issue is not whether we shall "help." Every thinking man wants to do that. The question is whether we are really going to help or hurt in the present state of our official mind.

Most of these agreements will have to be submitted to Congress for appropriations or approval. If the agreements merely raise a fight and get into politics (and they certainly will on this current basis) what benefit to the world? Does it not seem possible that they may lead instead into a complete nullity of any sound practical effort to help the world?

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Those Dead Files

From the Charleston, W. Va., Daily Mail

A new way for business executives to help the wastepaper salvage campaign is indicated by a news dispatch from New York.

Officials of the New York Central railroad, deciding that business files had outgrown their usefulness, carefully sorted all their supposedly important papers. The result was that 139 tons of paper was discarded and donated to the government salvage campaign. For the most part, the material consisted of outdated correspondence, much of which had gone to the files never to be seen again.

If other business executives would look through their files they might be surprised at the amount of material which, after all, is just so much junk. Spring is a good time to undertake the job and besides, the paper is urgently needed for the war effort.

Paper is a vital but scarce item today. With the supply of wood pulp far below the normal level, scrap paper must be salvaged for use in making new paper needed to carry on the war effort.

Spring cleaning should have a two-fold purpose this year: to make things tidy and to salvage essential materials, such as paper.

Factographs

It was not until after chests were made of cedar, because of the beauty and pleasant odor of the wood, that people discovered they were moth-repellant.

Old Faithful geyser in Yellowstone National Park throws 250,000 gallons of steaming hot water 150 feet in the air every seventy minutes.

One automotive company produced 22,925 Flying Fortress engines in 1943, more than four times its 1942 output.

Ninety per cent of all forest fires are man-made.

Dewey's Option Is Seen As Similar To That of FDR

By MARK SULLIVAN

In recent developments in the Republican presidential situation, it was the Wilkie retirement that was seen as dramatic and sensational—the word "unprecedented" was used, not with complete accuracy. But what is really unprecedented in many respects is the position in which Governor Dewey and the Republicans find themselves.

Here is a man who, two years in advance of the coming presidential election—that is, in August, 1942—declared formally that he would not be a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, and has steadily and consistently maintained that position. Yet the man has far more delegates favorable to him than any other—so many that a common assumption is he will be nominated. This is as near to a draft as could happen far more a draft than has occurred in American politics.

The only analogies to the prevalent taken-for-granted attitude about Mr. Dewey, are to be found in the very different cases of presidents in office. That a president serving his first term should be renominated, if he wishes, has not always been assumed, and in all but very few cases that program has worked out. But Mr. Dewey is not a president in office, and by his repeated declaration does not wish nomination.

Extraordinary Similarity

Likewise extraordinary is the similarity, in an important respect, between the situation of Mr. Dewey and that of President Roosevelt. Mr. Roosevelt has, so to speak, an option on the Democratic nomination, and the option will continue until the meeting of the Democratic national convention, unless Mr. Roosevelt chooses to act on it earlier, one way or the other. Similarly, if Mr. Dewey chooses to act on it earlier, one way or the other. Similarly, if Mr. Dewey has an option on the Republican nomination, though not so firm as one as Mr. Roosevelt's. And Mr. Dewey's option, like Mr. Roosevelt's, will continue until the nominating convention meets, unless he chooses to act on it earlier.

Just as Mr. Roosevelt is free to suspend his decision until the last day, and in making his decision is free to take into account, among other factors, the chances of Democratic success in the November election as the chances seem when the convention meets—so is Mr. Dewey free to wait until the convention, and to consider, among other factors, the chances of Republican success in November, as the chances seem when the convention meets.

Few Delegates Bound

Mr. Dewey's situation is made further extraordinary by the voluntary quality of his support. He has, as it is put, many delegates. But comparatively few of these delegates are bound to him, legally or otherwise, in the sense that delegates are commonly bound to the candidates they support. Because Mr. Dewey refused to be a candidate, refused to enter any primary and firmly forbade others to enter his name, few of the delegates are pledged to him in a binding way.

To some degree many delegates, even if not pledged to Mr. Dewey, may be said to be pledged to their constituents. If they presented themselves to the voters as Dewey delegates, there is an obligation on them to support him. But even that obligation is weakened by Mr. Dewey's steady refusal to be a candidate.

A Free Convention

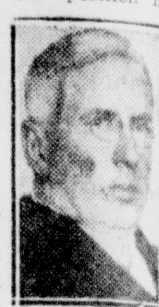
Out of this condition and some others arises a striking characteristic of the coming Republican convention. To an exceptional degree it will be an open convention—that is, one free to exercise its judgment after it meets. The number of delegates bound by pledge to one candidate or another will be relatively small.

The Dewey delegates, except in a few cases, will not be bound by pledge. Whatever number of delegates were elected to support Mr. Wilkie, are now released. A considerable number of delegates must or less loosely instructed to support governors or other "favorite sons," are actually intended to be free (except in the cases of Governor Bricker and Governor Warren), a large number of delegates will be free from the beginning—were to be chosen without instruction of any kind. And many delegates instructed one way or the other will in effect made free by the looseness of the primary laws in many states, or the absence of any primary law at all.

Refusal Improbable

This openness of the convention would not amount to much, as respects choosing the presidential nominee, unless Mr. Dewey should persist in his refusal to be a candidate, and go the length of refusing to be drafted. Such a refusal would be startling, and might have startling consequences.

As respects the platform, the openness of the convention might have significance. Persons or groups ardent for one plank or another would press their views. There might be controversy over the so-called "internationalism" issue. In fact this is already more or less determined by the resolution adopted by Republican leaders at Mackinac Island last September, favoring international collaboration.



Mark Sullivan

Morning Motto

The sound of a kiss is not so loud as that of cannon, but its echo lasts a great deal longer.—O. W. HOLMES.

X-Ray Unit Will Be in Keyser Next Thursday

Seniors of Six Mineral County High Schools Will Be Examined

By LUKE McDOWELL.
KEYSER, W. Va., April 19.—H. L. Tolman, president, Mineral County Tuberculosis Association, calls attention to one phase of the work of the local organization:

One of the projects is the use of the Powers X-Ray Unit. This unit will be in Keyser all day Thursday, April 27, on the third floor of the court house, to x-ray the seniors of the six Mineral County high schools. All the seniors have been skin-tested by Miss Ann M. Gable, county health nurse, whose showing positive reaction will be x-rayed.

This clinic is one of the constructive activities of the association, the purchase of Christmas Seals

last year by the people of the county made this service possible. The purpose is to protect young men and women against tuberculosis, by discovering it while yet in the curable stage, and before the victim enters college or industry, both of which are strenuous.

Teachers and students have been most co-operative in preparing for the clinic; literature sent by the county health department has been presented and carefully studied. The association is well pleased with the preliminary work done in arranging for the coming of the Powers unit next week.

Will Hold Classes

Classes for Red Cross nurses aides will be held each Tuesday and Thursday in Potomac Valley hospital, beginning May 2. Those interested in joining the classes may attend a preliminary meeting at the hospital at 7 o'clock tomorrow (Thursday) evening. The regular class hours will be from 5:30 to 7:30 each day.

Program Planned

Since April has been designated as child welfare week by the American Legion and kindred organizations, the Legion and the Legion Auxiliary, and the Keyser Parent-Teacher association are co-operating in presenting a Child Welfare program in the high school auditorium Friday evening April 21 at 7:45 o'clock.

Judge Robert McV. Drane will deliver an address on "Juvenile Delinquency"; the Rev. L. H. Burns will speak on "Youth Recreation in Our Community"; and the Women's

Club chorus will sing several numbers.

W.S.C.S. To Meet

A general meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, Grace Methodist church will be held in the church Thursday evening at 7:30. The April group of the association will be in charge of the program. The Lenten offering will be received.

Choir Will Sing

The choir, Trinity Methodist Church, Piedmont, will present a service of song at the 7:30 in First Methodist church Sunday evening, Mrs. Frank Poland is choir leader and Mrs. William Thompson is organist.

Verley Pleads Guilty

Sgt. Lee Verley who was indicted by the grand jury on a felony charge appeared before the court today and pleaded guilty to the charge of fraudulently cashing a check belonging to a Mr. Durst. The court took time to consider penalty.

The case of Ravenscraft and Mayhew charged with attempting to cash a government check will be heard by the judge of the juvenile court.

Pinnell, Hevener and Nelson charged with breaking jail have been returned to the army. Pinnell also was charged with the theft of an automobile.

These cases having been disposed of the court in consultation with the Mineral County Bar Association deemed it unnecessary to have the petit jury this term. The call for the petit jury to meet next Monday, April 24, was rescinded.

Personals

George Mackley, who is serving with the Seabees in Australia, has been promoted to seaman first class, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Mackley.

Among those admitted to Potomac Valley hospital are: Mrs. Elmer Kitzmiller and Leonard Baker of Keyser, Harold Logsdon, Piedmont, Mrs. Charles Knight,

Luke, and Kenneth Wilt, Bloomington.

Major Robert Patterson, who was home for ten days, has returned to his post with the army at Fort Custer, Michigan.

Mayor John C. Freeland has returned from Parsons where he visited his mother, Mrs. Emma Freeland.

Sailor Awarded

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Jack Langley, who was killed in action while serving aboard the U.S.S. Savannah in September, 1943, in the European theater of war. Seaman Langley enlisted in the navy in January, 1943. He received his boot training at Bainbridge. He was the son of Mrs. Thomas Peebles.

Soldier Is Honored

Cpl. Vernon R. Haines was honored at a farewell supper given by Mrs. Andrew Groves and Mrs. Clinton Groves. Cpl. Haines was home on furlough from Camp Hahn, Calif.

Cpl. Haines was also the guest of honor at a supper given by Mr. and Mrs. Arch Clark.

Cpl. Haines, who has expert medals for rifle, carbine, mechanic and truck driver, and who has a government driver's license, is a mechanical instructor at Camp Hahn.

Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. Mary I. Fazenbaker celebrated her eighty-eighth birthday on Saturday, April 15. She was honored at a supper at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Charles Gowans, East Main street, on Sunday. Her daughter, Mrs. Daniel Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gowans and family were present.

Central Assembly

Pan-American day, observed April 14, was the theme of the Central high school assembly program presented by the students of 10A. "Latin-America Bound," a skit, was enacted by members of the class. Marylea Henry sang a solo;

the Bomb Shells played a selection, and Ann Dudley, Marlon Devlin and Shirley Baumann gave readings.

Miss Daisy Cline was presented a gift in behalf of the members of the cast of the senior plays by Shirley Williams. Devotional exercises were led by Marlon Devlin.

Brief Mention

William Main, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Main, Detmold, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. Sgt. Main is with the army air forces in England.

James W. Arnold, RM 3-c, has been awarded the American Defense Theater of War campaign bar. He is with the amphibious forces of the United States navy serving aboard a L.S.T. He has been on duty in the Gulf of Mexico and the Panama Canal zone.

The spring registration for children who will start school the next term, will be held Thursday and Friday between 3:30 and 5 o'clock at the local schools.

Dental inspection of juniors and seniors of Central high school will be made Thursday by Dr. Carl Kolb.

James E. Fazenbaker, s 2-c A-4 (MC), has been transferred from Shoemaker, Calif. His new address is Box 1358, NAS Navy No. 128, c/o F.P.O., San Francisco, Calif.

Staff Sgt. Andrew N. Steele returned to Washington, D. C., after being home for a weekend visit.

Mrs. Louise W. Bell and Miss Emma Bradley have returned to their homes after spending the winter months in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Miss Dorothea Beeman is in Pittsburgh, Pa., visiting relatives.

News of Interest From Little Orleans

By MRS. BERNARD MCCUSKER

LITTLE ORLEANS, April 19.—The Homemakers club will meet Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. T. Gilson. Members are asked to invite friends to the meeting.

Church Services

Mass will be said Sunday morning, April 23, at 9:30 o'clock in St. Patrick's church here by the Rev. James Hogan.

Personals

Mrs. John Hettenhouser is visiting her daughter Mrs. Roy Wells in Washington, D. C., this week.

Mrs. Frank Portenue and children, Paw Paw, W. Va., have returned to their home after spending the weekend visiting Mrs. Grace Robey.

Mr. and Mrs. James Robey and children spent the weekend visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald McCusker and children, Harold and Madonn Rose, spent the weekend with relatives at Big Pool.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hafe and children, and Mrs. Thomas McCusker, spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Edward Wharton in Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McCusker

and son, Michael, will attend a clinic in the city hall at Cumberland Friday.

Darrel Sites who has been ill at his home here is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Robey and daughter Peggy have returned to Washington, D. C., after visiting Mrs. Grace Robey.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Swain, announce the birth of a son on April 8.

Socialist Party's Petition Ruled Out

BALTIMORE, April 20. (AP)—The Socialist party's nomination by petition of three presidential electors and a senatorial candidate from Maryland was ruled invalid by the attorney general's office today because of insufficient signers.

The petition, received by the State department Monday, was referred to Attorney General Walsh for a ruling. The State department disclosed it had approximately 125 signers.

The ruling said the election code provided that "the number of signatures x x x shall not be less than 2,000 when the nomination is for an office to be filled by an election participated in by voters of the entire state x x x."

Bumps in Wrong Places

BELFAST — (AP)—The police thought there was something odd about two men wearing women's corsets. Beneath the corsets they found spark plugs. The men were

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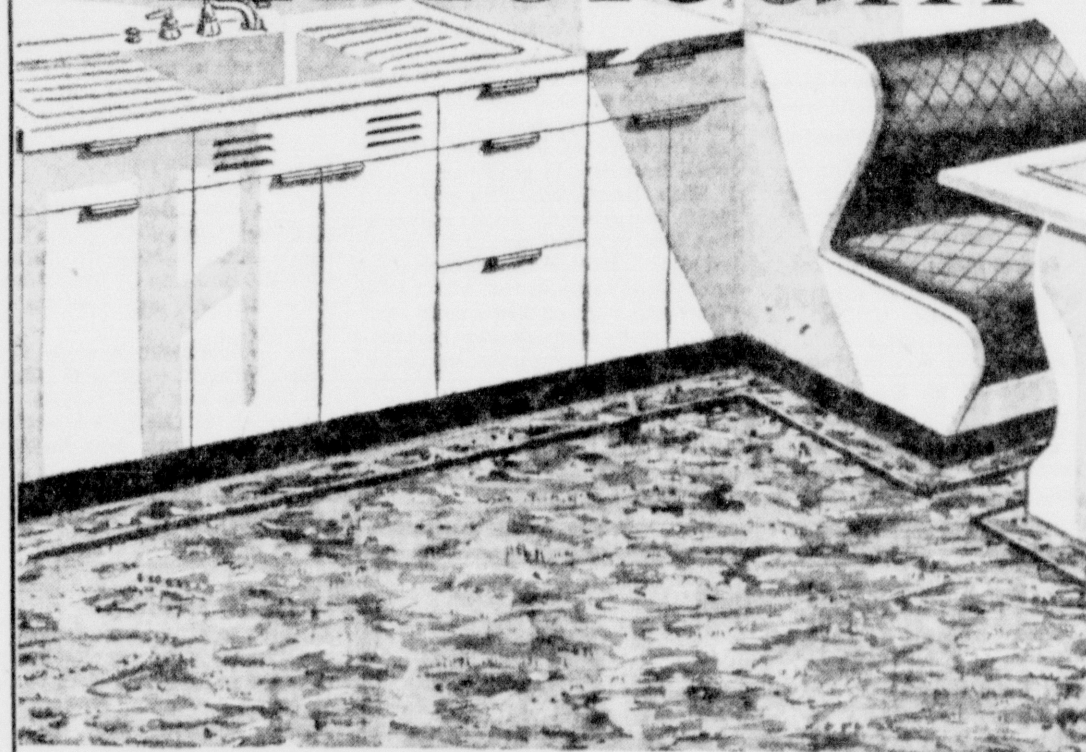
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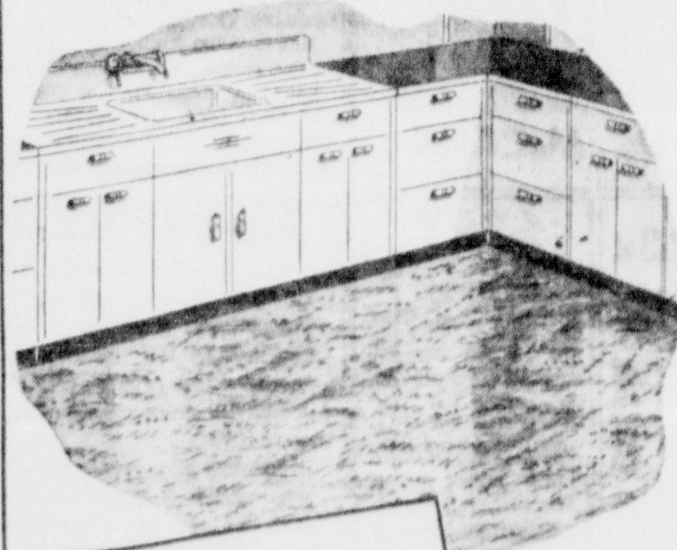
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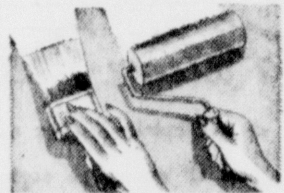
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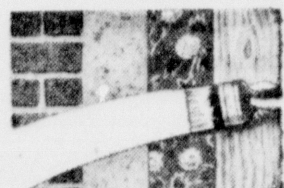
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Lieut. and Mrs. Williams Will Be Honored Saturday

Parents of Couple Will Give Informal Reception at Meyers Home

Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd R. Meyers and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Williams will entertain in honor of Lieut. and Mrs. Marshall Williams with an informal reception from 8 to 10 o'clock Saturday evening, at the former's home, 224 Washington street.

Lieut. Williams, who was graduated and received his wings April 15 at Ellington field, Houston, Tex., and Miss Jean Louise Meyers were married at 4:30 o'clock November 27 in the First Presbyterian church, San Angelo, Tex., with the Rev. B. O. Wood, D.D., pastor, officiating.

Miss Eloise Seeligen, San Antonio, Tex., was the bride's maid of honor and only attendant. Cadet Lee MacPartland, Bruce field, Baltimore served as Mr. Williams's best man.

Mrs. Walter Eckbreth, of Monongahela, Pa., sister of Mrs. Meyers, and Mrs. Charles Piper, sister of Mrs. Williams, will preside at the refreshment table, which will be centered with a bowl of spring flowers. They will be assisted in serving by a group of friends of the bride. The spring motif will also be carried out in the bouquets of various colored blossoms throughout the house.

RED CROSS HOME NURSING IS STRESSED BY MRS. LICHTENSTEIN

Because the enrollment in Red Cross home nursing classes has declined since last year, it was important that special emphasis be given to this program this month, Mrs. A. M. Lichtenstein, county chairman, announces.

In speaking of the promotional campaign for Red Cross home nursing, Mrs. Lichtenstein pointed out that approximately 50,000 doctors and 43,200 nurses have been withdrawn from civilian life to serve in the armed forces. The distribution of doctors and nurses is unequal, she stressed, and in many places there is no doctor at all.

This shortage is expected to continue even after the war is over, she said, and at present it is potentially dangerous for the health of civilians, and emphasis is being placed on intelligent operation with those doctors left in communities, and economy in the use of their time.

Mrs. Lichtenstein pointed out that the holders of the Red Cross home nursing certificates are able to assist by accurately describing symptoms of the patient's illness, taking the temperature and having the information ready for the doctor, as well as being equipped to follow the doctor's instructions for simple nursing care.

Allegheny county chapter has sponsored eighteen classes since September 1943, and two more, an adult class, and a junior class are about to start; 312 women and girls have received instruction in these classes, exceeding the quota of 300. A new class will be organized at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the Red Cross class room in the city hall, with Mrs. Arthur W. Eichelberger instructor.

Rawlings 4-H Club Will Collect Paper

The Pinto-Rawlings 4-H Club will co-operate with the Upper Potomac Salvage committee in collecting wastepaper. It was decided at the meeting Tuesday at the home of Betty Kamp, McMullen highway, Rawlings. Plans were formulated to make a house to house canvass after school and on Saturdays. Paper will be collected by April 29 and left at the home of Catherine Dawson until it is sent to the Luke mill.

Ellen Jane Orndorff presided and Miss Margaret T. Lear explained the food nutrition units and assisted the members in selecting the unit most suitable to her needs. They will work on these units until June, when they should be completed. A donation of \$1 was voted to the Red Cross, and Joan McCoy was accepted as a new member.

The next meeting will be held at 7:30 o'clock May 1 at the home of Mary Lou and Catherine Dawson, McMullen highway.

Mary Douglass Becomes Bride Of John Bland

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Mary Virginia Douglass, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Douglass, 604 North Centre street, to John Lawrence Bland, son of Mrs. Gladys Bland, 210 Arch street. The ceremony was solemnized at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening in the parsonage of St. Paul's Lutheran church with the Rev. Hixon T. Bowersox, pastor, officiating. Mrs. Douglass was her daughter's matron of honor and only attendant and Ben Conner served as Mr. Bland's best man.

The bride was attired in a Kelly green sport suit with which she wore matching hat, white and brown accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Douglass wore a wine colored costume with navy blue accessories and a corsage of dark red snapdragons.

Both the bride and bridegroom attended Pennsylvania avenue school and are employed by the Celanese Corporation of America.

Following the ceremony an informal reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, where for the present the couple is residing.

DeMolay Alumni Plans Anniversary Party

Plans for the annual anniversary celebration of the Sanford H. Buley Chapter, DeMolay Alumni were formulated at the meeting last evening at Central Y.M.C.A., and Aden Everson, president, appointed Henry Jammer chairman of the committee of arrangements for the celebration to be held some time in May.

Other members of the committee are Stanley Buckley and Walter Shanoltz.

A report of the recent initiation of the Cumberland Chapter, Order of DeMolay, was made by Henry Gehauf, who with Roy Durrett and Charles Kolb, coached the degree work. John Workmeister, a member of the advisory board of the Cumberland Chapter, was commended for his work in the installation of officers.

Bazaar and Apron Social Planned

A bazaar and apron social will be held today at the South Cumberland Salvation Army hall, 511 Virginia avenue, under the sponsorship of the Ladies Home League.

The bazaar will open at 2 o'clock and there will be booths for pastry, candy, fancy work and ready to wear articles. It will be held in the club rooms. At 8 o'clock the social will be held in the chapel and a program will be presented featuring a mock wedding. There will also be music and readings.

Class Will Meet

An all day mission study class will be held from 10:30 to 3 o'clock today at Central Methodist church under the direction of Mrs. Walter Petrea, who will also lead the devotionals.

This is the required study class of the Women's Society of Christian Service and the subject will be "For All of Life." The teachers will be Mrs. Ruth Lee Andrews, Mrs. John Nicklin, Mrs. Cass Dye, Mrs. Richard Reuschlein and Mrs. J. C. Twigg. A box lunch will be held at noon.

Marriage Licenses

Licenses to marry were issued to the following eight couples yesterday in the office of the clerk of circuit court:

Nevin Schrock and Dorothy Daugherty, Meyersdale, Pa.
Maurice Maxwell Spencer and Irene Sidney Mangold, Keyser, W. Va.
Charles Franklin Biser and Mamie Gray, Keyser, W. Va.
John David Swank, Route 3, Somerset, Pa., and Margaret Pellicione, Route 2, Boswell, Pa.
Simon Ira Karna, Bedford, Pa., and Betty Mae Watson, Bedford, Ind.
Allan Vincent White and Irene Lorraine Damm, Cumberland.
Henry Allen Smith and Elizabeth Louise Frobes, Cumberland.
Steve Sabolek, Fayette City, Pa., and Anna Gluz, Donora, Pa.

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New Officers Are Nominated by Women's Group

The report of the Nominating committee of the Business and Professional Women's Club was submitted by Miss Lillian Compton, chairman, at the meeting Tuesday evening at Central Y.M.C.A. Mrs. Frances Rowe was nominated for president; Mrs. Florence Prenderive, vice president; Miss Ann Nicht, secretary, and Miss Nan Livingston, treasurer.

Other members of the committee are Mrs. Prenderive, Miss Maude A. Bean and Miss Sara Wright. Present officers are Mrs. Olive Workman, president; Mrs. Rowe, vice president; Miss Nicht, secretary and Miss Kathleen Keating, treasurer.

The club nominated Miss Jane Botsford as a candidate for vice president of the state Business and Professional Women's club; and Mrs. Workman appointed Miss Botsford chairman of the Qualifications committee for the state officer candidates. The chairman will later appoint the two members who will accompany her to the state convention to be held in Baltimore May 5 and 6.

Mrs. Workman also announced that July 12 to 17 has been set as the tentative date of the national biennial convention to be held in New York City; it will be strictly a work meeting and guests are to be discouraged because of travel conditions. Mrs. Karl Perry was accepted as a new member.

Joseph E. Harned, Oakland, gave an illustrated lecture on wild flowers and plant life in the eastern part of the United States. He showed numerous colored slides during the lecture and made references to parts of his book, "Wild Flowers of the Alleghenies." He was introduced by Miss Wright, who was co-chairman with Miss Compton for the program.

Besides the thirty-two members attending Mrs. Helen Caldwell, Mrs. Robert Compton, Mrs. Gertrude Williams and Mrs. E. H. White were guests.

W.C.T.U. Will Hold Mothers Day Meeting

The annual Mother's day meeting for recruits will be held in conjunction with the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, May 24. It was decided at the meeting of the union yesterday at Central Y.M.C.A. It will be held at the home of Mrs. John S. Cook, Bowling Green and a special program will be presented.

Mrs. Wesley C. Light presided and announced that eight new "white ribbon" recruits and seventeen Sunday school junior temperance pledges have been received. Mrs. Dorothy Saville was appointed the white ribbon recruits director.

A petition was signed nominating Claude A. Watson for president of the United States, it was pointed out that he has been designated "the man who carries a Bible instead of a bottle." Announcement was also made that the May luncheon of the Cumberland Council of Church Women will be held on the ninth at the Bethany United Brethren church, and all members were urged to attend. The devotionals on "The Christian Home," were conducted by Mrs. Saville.

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Henry A. Smith Will Wed Elizabeth Frobes Today

Ceremony Will Take Place in St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church

Miss Elizabeth Frobes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max J. Frobes, 304 Pulaski street, will become the bride of Henry Allen Smith, Hampton, Va., son of Mrs. James Herron, 451 Waverly terrace, today.

The ceremony will be solemnized at 10 o'clock this morning in the rectory of St. Peter and Paul Catholic church with the Rev. Luke R. Stephens, O.F.M. Cap., officiating. Miss Jean Cox will be the bride's maid of honor and only attendant and John Kauffman will serve as Mr. Smith's best man.

Miss Frobes has chosen a light blue crepe for her wedding dress with which she will wear a white hat with a waist length white veil, white elbow length gloves and black sabardine accessories. A corsage of white sweetpeas will complete her costume.

Her maid of honor will be attired in a gray costume with blue accessories and will wear a corsage of pink sweetpeas. Mrs. Frobes has chosen a pink and brown costume for her daughter's wedding, with which she will wear white accessories, and a corsage of pink rosebuds. Mrs. Herron, mother of the bridegroom, will be attired in a gray costume with which she will wear a hat of gardenias, white and black accessories, and a corsage of gardenias.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Catholic Girls Central high school, class of 1941, where she was president of the Notre Dame Unit of the Catholic Students Mission Crusade her senior year; a member of the Glee club and the student choir of St. Patrick's church. She is also a member of the General Assembly of the Catholic Students Mission Crusade, Maryland Lambda Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority, and the Nurses Aides group of Memorial hospital.

Mr. Smith is a graduate of Allegheny high school, class of 1939. A former employee of the Celanese

Corporation of America, he is now employed by the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, Langley field, Hampton, Va., where he is also taking a course in aeronautical engineering.

Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Frobes will entertain with a wedding reception in honor of their daughter and her bridal party. A tiered wedding cake, adorned with a miniature bride and bridegroom will center the refreshment table, which will be decorated with candleabra of tall white tapers and pink gladioli and snapdragons. Mrs. Joseph Zihlman, Washington, D. C., and Mrs. R. B. Thibedeau, Silver Springs, aunts of the bride, will preside at the table. The same pink and white color scheme will be carried out in the bouquets used throughout the house.

The bride has chosen a light blue dressmaker suit with white accessories for her going away costume. After a wedding trip to Washington and southern cities the couple will reside at 437 C street, Copeland Park, Newport News, Va.

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Gerber's Baby Foods	3 cans	20c

YELLOW Onion Sets	lb.	29c
TENDER GREEN Onions	2 bun.	11c
INDIAN RIVER Grapefruit	4 for	27c
U. S. NO. 1 MAINE Potatoes	15 lb. peck	45c

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Violators Pay Fines

CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 19 (AP)—Persons convicted of violations of forestry, fish and game laws in West Virginia during February and March paid fines and costs totaling \$18,245.22, the conservation commission said today.



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Warehouse Robbers Get Prison Terms

UPPER MARLBORO, Md., April 19 (AP)—Three Maryland men were found guilty of breaking into a beer warehouse and received prison sentences ranging from nine months to one year in Prince Georges county circuit court yesterday.

They were Louis Gantt, 25, Pumpkin Town, Claude Bailey, 17, of near Suitland, and Francis L. Johnson, 19, duPont Heights. Bailey and Johnson received additional nine-month sentences on charges of robbery.

Writes 90 Letters Weekly to Troops

BALTIMORE, April 19 (AP)—Mrs. Mary E. Clarke has a spare time war job—writing about ninety letters weekly to fellow bottling company employees now with the armed forces.

Mrs. Clarke said today she had received 1,300 replies from service men whom she has kept apprised of the hometown news during the last two years.

There are about six animals to each square mile in the national forests of the United States.

Hold Services For Warsaw Dead

BALTIMORE, April 19 (AP)—All Baltimore synagogues held memorial services tonight in honor of the 40,000 Jews who died in the battle of Warsaw.

Dr. Israel Tabak, chairman of the Rabbinical Council for the seacoast states, was in charge of the arrangements of the services. Similar ceremonies were conducted in all the cities of the United States.

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Peter Lammert, 86, Former Frostburg Mayor Succumbs

Retired Businessman Dies in Hospital; Active in Republican Party

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG, April 19.—Peter Lammert, 86, retired Frostburg businessman, died at noon today in a hospital, where he was received Tuesday. He was a former mayor and city councilman and had the position of city clerk and county tax collector.

Lammert was a charter member of the Arion Band and was business manager of the organization many years. He was chairman of Frostburg's Centennial celebration held here in 1928 and was largely responsible for the historical booklet on Frostburg which was published at that time, one of the most complete books of that kind that has ever been locally published.

Lammert operated a grocery store on Main street for many years and was a director and one of the organizers of the Fidelity Savings Bank. He was a member of the Evangelical and Reformed church and for many years was active in Republican political affairs. His wife, Mrs. Catherine (Lutz) Lammert, died in November, 1942. He has two sons, G. Victor and Roland Lammert, and Prof. L. Leslie Lammert, Woodbury, N. J., two daughters, Mrs. William Kretzberg and Mrs. Frederick Lutz, and a brother, John Lammert, survive. Mr. Lammert resided on Uhl street.

Teachers Will Teach

Raymond S. Hyson, superintendent of schools of Carroll county, and John C. Willis, superintendent of schools of Washington county, will be in the State Teachers college Tuesday for interviews with members of the senior class. There are seven members who will be available for teaching in the fall. Hyson is interested in five for service in Carroll county, and Willis secured contracts from six members of the class. All other members of the class have been contacted by Miss L. Kopp, superintendent of schools of Allegany county, and other county superintendents. In other words, all members of the class have either signed contracts or will be to get contracts from the counties of Allegany, Washington and Carroll.

Farm Group Meets

Mr. Miller, Mr. Savage, dairyman, was the principal speaker at a meeting of the Farm Bureau Group No. 10, held at the home of Mr. James Morgan, Carlos. He led the movement under way to an auction center at the Cumberland fair grounds and urged all local farm groups unite with the American Farm Bureau organization.

Slides were shown by Harry

MRS. BETSY SITES DIES AT HOME

By MYRTLE PARK

PETERSBURG, W. Va., April 19.—Mrs. Betsy Ann Sites, 87, widow of Christian Sites, died today at 1 p. m. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Della M. Berg, Rough Run.

She was a daughter of the late Harvey and Margaret Ketterman Yankey, and a member of the Lutheran church.

Besides her daughter, she is survived by three other daughters, Mrs. Hattie V. Getz, Rough Run; Mrs. Cora Simmons, Rough Run, and Mrs. Lettie D. Getz, Petersburg, and a son, Jessie Sites, Rough Run.

The last surviving member of her family, she is also survived by eighteen grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Another son, Sgt. Newton T. Sites, of the West Virginia state police, was killed in Petersburg, W. Va., in a plane crash one year ago.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home. Interment will be in the Sites cemetery, Rough Run.

Morgan, showing Frostburg 4-H boys receiving instructions from Francis Rige, deputy game warden, on methods of feeding and building winter shelters for birds. It was decided to hold the next meeting at the home of Charles Harvey, Carlos. Following the program and business session, refreshments were served. Twenty persons attended.

Starkey Child Dies

Martha Virginia, 8-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Starkey, Eckhart, died this evening at 6:15 at her home.

Besides her parents, she is survived by a twin-sister, Mary Catherine, and another sister, Donna Jean, and a brother, Dale Richard. Funeral services will be conducted at the home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Eckhart cemetery.

Mrs. Dilley Dies

Mrs. Agnes (Kilroy) Dilley, 72, widow of Bernard Dilley, 53 Broadway, died at her home Wednesday morning, after a lingering illness. She was a member of St. Michael's Catholic church and a former school teacher.

Surviving are two sons, Corp. Francis Dilley, Camp Forrest, Tenn., and John Dilley, Baltimore; two daughters, Mrs. Charles Arnold, Taneytown, and Mrs. Ralph Bender, Frostburg; a sister, Mrs. Regina Sullivan, Frostburg; two brothers, Aloysius Kirby, Washington, D. C., and Joseph Kirby, Frostburg, and eight grandchildren.

The body will remain at the Hatter funeral home here and services will be held Friday at 9:30 a. m., in St. Michael's Catholic church. Burial will be in the parish cemetery.

Mrs. Folk Dies

Mrs. Estella (Chambers) Folk, 56, wife of Arthur G. Folk, died at 6 a. m., Wednesday in the McKeesport Memorial hospital, the result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident, March 12, near Elizabeth, Pa.

A daughter of the late Magistrate John and Mary McAllister Chambers, and a native of this city, she

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Legion Auxiliary Plans Meeting in Piedmont Friday

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, April 19.—Kelley-Mansfield Post No. 32, American Legion Auxiliary, will hold a special meeting on Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the office of Dr. Robert W. Bess, Ashfield street, Piedmont.

The group needs old curtains, sheets, spreads, pillow cases and table cloths for stretcher pads the auxiliary is making for the Red Cross. Anyone having any of these articles may leave them at the home of Mrs. Z. T. Kalbaugh or phone 21831.

Sewing classes meet Wednesday and Friday nights. All ladies of the community are invited to help.

Announce Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Ours, Westernport, announce the marriage of their daughter, Stella Frances, to Lieut. Delmore B. Brown, son of Mrs. Cora M. Brown, Westernport, Thursday, April 6, in the First Christian church, Tampa, Fla., with the Rev. Dr. J. Walter Carpenter, Jr., officiating. The double ring ceremony was used. Lieut. and Mrs. William M. King, Kansas City, Mo., were the attendants.

The bride wore a light blue crepe suit with corsage of pink roses and baby breath. Mrs. King was attired in a sheer black dress with corsage of pink roses.

Mrs. Brown is a graduate of Bruce high school and had been employed by the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, Baltimore. He enlisted in the air corps November 11, 1942, and received his wings as a bombardier-navigator December 4, 1943. He is stationed at Drew field, Tampa, Fla.

Following the ceremony the members of the Postress crew entertained with a dinner at the Hotel Floridan.

Tri-Town Briefs

The Presbyterian Junior circle met at the home of Mrs. Alice Pink Monday evening. The soldier's box was sent to Corp. John Darney, Camp Meade, Fla.

A special meeting of the home room mothers of Piedmont high and graded schools will be held in the grade school auditorium Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Westernport hill circle of W.S.C.S. of Trinity Methodist church will meet tomorrow evening (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Robert Derham, Hammond street.

Personals

Herbert Dawson, Jr., of the merchant marine, is home. Nedra Dawson, Baltimore, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Dawson, Luke.

Work on the recreation hall of the Westernport Service Center will be completed in a few days. Mr. and Mrs. John W. Clayton, Lyons, N. J., are spending a week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kidwell, Westernport, and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clayton, Luke.

Tech Sgt. Ernest Clayton, Hendricks field, Sebring, Fla., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clayton, Luke.

Mrs. Z. T. Kalbaugh and Mrs. Thomas D. Campbell of the Piedmont Woman's club are attending the State Federation of Women's Club at the Stonewall Jackson hotel, Clarksburg, W. Va., April 18-20.

Virginia, Minn., is the only community in the United States in which a central heating system provides steam heat for all the homes, stores, schools and churches in the city.

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Ladies black Parker fountain pen with blue diamond clip. Reward. Return Green Chevrolet garage, Frostburg. N-T-April 20

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Tucker County Women Name 1944 Officers

Election Held To Replace Those Who Resigned Positions

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, W. Va., April 19.—The Republican Woman's Club of Tucker county elected officers for 1944 to replace those who have resigned. They are president, Mrs. Kermit Collett, vice-president, Miss Kathleen Hall; secretary, Miss Evelyn Cade, and treasurer, Miss Marie Harman.

Directors are three-year term. Miss Esther Sill; two-year term, Mrs. Grace Cosner, and one-year term, Mrs. O. M. Wilson.

Committee members follow: Program committee, Mrs. William Repp, Mrs. Chester Bennett and Miss Esther Sill.

Ways and Means committee, Mrs. Kermit Collett, Mrs. Ralph Stewart, Miss Mildred Wilson and Mrs. Catherine Hall.

Membership committee, Mrs. Guy Floyd, Miss Claudia Hebb, Mrs. W. F. Lipscomb, Mrs. Roy Griffith, Mrs. R. E. King, Mrs. Pete Sherman, Mrs. Alston White, Miss Cyrena Miller and Mrs. Grace Cosner.

Carpenter Dies

Sidney B. Sheets, 71, well-known carpenter of Parsons, died in a local hospital a few minutes after being admitted on Tuesday afternoon at 3 p. m. of a heart attack.

He was born November 13, 1872, in Preston county, the son of John and Maria Pratt Sheets. He is survived by his widow, the former Alice Nestor, two sons, Wayne Sheets, Chicago, Ill., and Private Maurice Sheets, stationed with the United States Army in England; two daughters, Mrs. Howard Lanberry, Kempton, Md., and Miss Genevieve Sheets, Akron, Ohio, and two brothers, William Sheets, Fairmont, and Norman Sheets, Newburg.

Marriage Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. James Richard Earles, Chicago, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lorraine Earles, to Petty Officer Second class George Hamilton Young, of Alamada, Calif., son of Mrs. Minnie Young and the late Wilbur Young, Parsons.

The single ring services were read in the Hyde Park Methodist church, Chicago, with the Rev. J. Richard Drees, pastor of the church officiating on Wednesday April 12 at 3:30 p. m.

The bridegroom was graduated from Parsons high school class of 1936 and attended Davis and Elkins college, at Elkins, W. Va. He enlisted in the navy in April 1942.

Service Notes

Sgt. Virgil Blizard, South Camp Polk, La., and Cpl. Stelman Blizard, Camp Sibert, Ala., are visiting friends in Hambleton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Willis, of Kempton, near Thomas, have received a telegram stating that their son, John, who has served in the United States army for the past two years in the European theater of war has landed in San Diego, Calif.

Robert Poling Shreeves, United States Navy, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. C. R. Parsons in Hambleton. He has just returned from foreign duty.

Pfc. William Hilton, Jr., who has been with the United States Army for the past four years abroad, has been transferred to the Letterman General hospital, San Francisco, Calif., for treatment for influenza.

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juries received in action. This information was received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hilton through the American Red Cross. The parents had not heard from their son for several months.

Brief Mention

The Rev. Carl M. Talley, pastor of the First Baptist church of Parsons, has been called to Elizabethton, Tenn., to dedicate a First Baptist church there.

Miss Beryl Lipscomb, of Coalton, graduate of the Davis Memorial Hospital Training School for Nurses of Elkins, has been added to the staff of the Tucker County hospital.

Miss Justina Mamish, of Davis, has resigned her position as foods panel clerk of the War Price and Rationing Board of Thomas. The

vacancy has been filled by Miss Elizabeth Ghost, of Davis. Pvt. Andrew Pascoza, stationed in the Aleutians for the past two years, is spending his first furlough with his parents in Davis.

Prod W. Cupp, superintendent of the Cumberland Coal Company, of Albion, who has been ill for the past eight weeks, is much improved.

Miss Eula Marsh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Marsh, of Parsons, has accepted a position as head dietitian of the Tucker County hospital in Parsons. Miss Marsh was graduated from Potomac State school, attended Fairmont State college and West Virginia university, Morgantown.

Approximately 190,000 forest fires are started each year in the United States by careless citizens.

Mrs. Euny Kesner Dies at Home

By MYRTLE PARK

PETERSBURG, W. Va., April 19.—

Mrs. Euny Francis Kesner, 74, died at her home near Masonville, yesterday after a lingering illness. She was a daughter of the late Cyrus Sites and Sarah C. Simons Sites. Her husband, Silas Kesner, died two months ago.

She is survived by the following children: Ervin Kesner, Masonville; Mrs. Addie Whitacre, Paw Paw; Edward Kesner, Masonville; Loy Kesner, Dorcas and Pfc. Eston G. Kesner, Dorcas and Pfc. Eston G. Kesner, Dorcas.

Sailor Awarded Purple Heart Posthumously

By MARIE MERRBACH

LONACONING, April 19.—The Purple Heart will be awarded posthumously to Seaman First Class Seaman Jack Langley, Lonaconing, Was Killed Aboard Savannah

(Continued on Page 15, Col. 8) (Continued on Page 5, Col. 4)

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BANK STATEMENT	
Reserve District No. 5	
PORT OF CONDITION OF THE FROSTBURG NATIONAL BANK OF FROSTBURG IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 13, 1944. PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER SECTION 5211, U. S. REVISED STATUTES.	
ASSETS	
Cash and discounts (including \$35.77 overdrafts)	\$ 479,306.09
U. S. States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,096,564.66
U. S. States and political subdivisions	15,422.86
Bonds, notes, and debentures	212,255.80
State stocks (including \$6,750.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	6,750.00
U. S. balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	450,191.07
U. S. members owned \$15,940.00, furniture and fixtures	28,038.15
U. S. 1938-15	598.66
TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,289,127.29
LIABILITIES	
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$ 772,552.68
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations of United States Government (including postal savings)	989,120.29
U. S. 1938-15	136,816.71
U. S. States and political subdivisions	96,293.35
U. S. banks	23,898.48
U. S. deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	2,195.53
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,020,877.04
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$2,020,877.04
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
U. S. Common stock, total par \$75,000.00	75,000.00
U. S. paid-in surplus	150,000.00
U. S. undivided profits	18,250.25
U. S. 1938-15	25,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	268,250.25
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$2,289,127.29
MEMORANDA	
U. S. Assets (book value):	
U. S. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	\$ 213,000.00
U. S. Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	9,773.32
TOTAL	\$ 222,773.32
U. S. Liabilities:	
U. S. Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	184,438.61
TOTAL	\$ 184,438.61
U. S. of Maryland, County of Allegany, ss:	
I, Earl Kretzberg, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
Correct—Attest:	
WALTER E. JEFFRIES,	
WILLIAM E. JENKINS,	
R. HILARY LANCASTER,	
Directors.	
Witnessed and subscribed before me this 18th day of April, 1944.	
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"CALL OF
THE CANYON"

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BLESSED EVENT"

Theaters

"Heavenly Body" Opens At Maryland Today

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer spent a lot of time planning a perfect comedy vehicle for William Powell and Hedy Lamarr. "The Heavenly Body," specially written, specially produced, specially directed, is the result. The comedy opens at the Maryland theater today.

Powell, master of the lifted eyebrow school of humor—and how he puts it over!—is especially known for his role of Nick Charles in the famous Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer "Thin Man" series of productions. Miss Lamarr, whose charm appeal is internationally acclaimed, in this laugh-getting story blends gaiety with her well-known glamour. As the "astrology crazy" wife of brilliant astronomer William Powell, she moves into an entirely new field of character portrayal. She is the same glamorous Hedy of "White Cargo"—remember her Tondelayo?—plus the touch of sophistication any star gets playing opposite the suave expert, William Powell.

Two First Companies Worked on "Gung Ho!"

Two complete first companies, each with top-name casts, worked on Walter Wanger's "Gung Ho!" at Universal Studios. The exciting marine corps action drama is currently showing at the Liberty theater.

Director Ray Enright, with Fred Frank and Jack Jacard as his assistants, filmed the submarine interiors with Randolph Scott and J. Carrol Nash heading his cast.

East Side Kids Star In Embassy Picture

Those riotous rogues, the East Side Kids, return today to the Embassy theater, starring in the latest Monogram film of their adventures, "Million Dollar Kid." It's a picture full of thrills, laughs and suspense that finds the little gangsters in-

voiced in a seemingly unsolvable problem.

Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall and Gabriel Dell are once more joined with their latest recruit, Billy Benedict, in a rough and tumble fun-fest. Heading the supporting cast are Louise Currie, Iris Adrian, Noah Beery, Sr., Stanley Brown, Patsy Moran and Herbert Hayes.

Garden Program Has Mystery and Drama

Currently showing at the Garden theater is "The Crime Doctor's Strangest Case," starring Warner

Baxter, Lynn Merrick, Reginald Denny, Barton MacLane, Jerome Cowan and Rose Hobart are included in the cast.

The co-feature is "One of Our Aircraft Is Missing," with Hugh Williams, Eric Portman and Godfrey Tearle.

The spread of influenza in 1918 was blamed on the war, but a world-wide outbreak as severe was recorded in the peace years of 1889-90.

The nickel is the only modern American coin not carrying the words "In God We Trust."

B. & O. To Redeem 4 Per Cent Notes

NEW YORK, April 19 (AP)—Roy B. White, president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad announced after a meeting of the board of directors today that the company expected to be in a position to meet the maturity on Aug. 1 next of the publicly held portion of its secured four per cent notes.

White said that the Reconstruction Finance Corp. had agreed, subject to the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission, to ex-

tend the \$13,490,000 loan against the company's Aug. 1 notes held by the RFC.

Total amount of the notes outstanding is \$46,000,000.

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ANNUAL LEVY LIST

of Allegany County For 1944

LEVIED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AT THE APRIL 18, 1944 SESSION, AND PUBLISHED IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 12, ARTICLE 25, OF THE PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS OF MARYLAND.

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Amount necessary to pay County's share of Aid to Dependent Children to March 31, 1945 \$ 9,550.00
ALLEGANY COUNTY HOME AND INFIRMARY
 Amount expended for the maintenance and support of the inmates of the Allegany County Home, the patients of the Allegany County Infirmary, salary of the Steward, Matron, Nurses, Orderlies, Cooks and Farmer from April 1, 1943 to March 31, 1944 \$ 29,758.13
 Salary of County Commissioners and Clerk \$ 300.00
 Salary of the Physician \$ 900.00
 Total \$ 31,000.00

Estimated amount to cover same to March 31, 1945 \$ 31,000.00

ASSESSMENT EXPENSE

Salary of the Assessment Supervisor to March 31, 1945 \$ 3,800.00
 Salaries of Two (2) Field Assessors to March 31, 1945 \$ 5,400.00
 Mileage of Two (2) Field Assessors to March 31, 1945 \$ 1,600.00
 Expense of Appeal Hearings to March 31, 1945 \$ 1,200.00
 Total \$ 12,000.00

APPROPRIATIONS TO INCORPORATED TOWNS

Mayor and City Council of Cumberland, Md. \$ 7,630.00
 Mayor and Councilmen of Frostburg, Md. \$ 2,660.00
 Mayor and City Council of Lonaconing, Md. \$ 2,884.00
 Mayor and Commissioners of Westernport, Md. \$ 2,020.00
 Mayor and Commissioners of Barton, Md. \$ 1,240.00
 Mayor and Commissioners of Luke, Md. \$ 1,900.00
 Mayor and Council of Midland, Md. \$ 840.00
 Total \$ 19,174.00

APPROPRIATIONS TO VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANIES

Frostburg Fire Department, Frostburg, Md. \$ 1,000.00
 Good-Will Fire Dept. No. 1, Lonaconing, Md. \$ 800.00
 Potomac Fire Dept. No. 2, Westernport, Md. \$ 675.00
 Cresapton Volunteer Fire Co., Cresapton, Md. \$ 675.00
 Midland Fire Department, Midland, Md. \$ 675.00
 Mt. Savage Fire Department, Mt. Savage, Md. \$ 675.00
 Barton Fire Department, Barton, Md. \$ 500.00
 LaVale Volunteer Fire Co., LaVale, Md. \$ 500.00
 Luke Fire Company, Luke, Md. \$ 500.00
 Borden Shaft Volunteer Fire Co., Borden Shaft, Md. \$ 400.00
 McCoole Volunteer Fire Dept., McCoole, Md. \$ 400.00
 Corriganville Vol. Fire Dept., Corriganville, Md. \$ 400.00
 Baltimore Pike Vol. Fire Co., Cumberland, Md. \$ 400.00
 Bowman's Addition Vol. Fire Co., Cumberland, Md. \$ 400.00
 Clarysville Vol. Fire Co., Cumberland, Md. \$ 400.00
 Bedford Road Vol. Fire Co., Cumberland, Md. \$ 300.00
 Flintstone Vol. Fire Co., Flintstone, Md. \$ 200.00
 Chapel Hill Hose Co., No. 1, Cumberland, Md. \$ 150.00
 Cumberland Hose Co., No. 1, Cumberland, Md. \$ 150.00
 Total \$ 9,100.00

ATTORNEYS' FEES

Amount paid to Attorneys for appearance in various cases from April 1, 1943 to March 31, 1944:
 Cook, Noel S. \$ 15.00
 Cook, Noel S., and Clarence Lippel \$ 5.00
 Cook, Noel S., and Robert McD. Bruce \$ 100.00
 Doub, Albert A., Jr. \$ 10.00
 Jenkins, William S., and Lewis M. Wilson \$ 100.00
 Kelley, Estel C. \$ 100.00
 Ryan, Edward J. \$ 110.00
 Richards, Thos. Lohr \$ 5.00
 Shutter, Clarence \$ 15.00
 Somerville, Wm. M. \$ 5.00
 Sloan, David W. and Wm. E. McHugh \$ 100.00
 Whiting, F. Brooke, and Morris Baron \$ 5.00
 Total \$ 570.00
 Estimated to pay Attorneys' Fees to April 1, 1945 \$ 600.00

BOUNTIES

Amount expended for bounties on Foxes and Wildcats, Weasel and Mink, Hawks and

Owls' Scapes from April 1, 1943 to March 31, 1944 \$ 1,731.00
 Estimated amount to pay same to March 31, 1945 \$ 1,800.00

BOARD OF HEALTH

Amount expended from April 1, 1943 to March 31, 1944:
 American Journal of Nursing, The, subscription \$ 5.00
 Ankeny Company, The, supplies \$ 4.25
 Atlantic Refining Company, The, gas and oil \$ 4.11
 Beall Insurance & Realty Co., Insurance Premium \$ 127.80
 Conway Insurance Co., James M., Insurance Premium \$ 22.25
 Cumberland Head Clinic, Annual Appropriation \$ 600.00
 Cumberland Office Supply Co., The, supplies \$ 12.75
 Elmer Chevrolet, Inc., repairs \$ 12.42
 Frantz, Dr. Winter R., salary \$ 4,000.00
 Gladwin, Sadie, salary \$ 1,699.92
 Gladwin, Sadie, expenses \$ 49.97
 Gilman's Garage, repairs \$ 4.00
 Goodrich Silvertown Stores, supplies \$ 41.02
 Grahame, Jennie J., salary \$ 528.00
 Green Chevrolet Company, repairs \$ 13.05
 Gulf Oil Corporation, gas and oil \$ 61.06
 Gurley, Oscar, titling tax and repairs \$ 54.01
 Kelly-Springfield Tire Co., repairs \$ 3.00
 Laughlin, Isabella, expenses \$ 50.00
 Loible, Rose D., salary \$ 1,800.00
 Loible, Rose D., expenses \$ 13.00
 McMurdo Garage & Service Station, repairs \$ 21.33
 Miller, C. C., supplies \$ 75.29
 Morris, James W., salary \$ 1,800.00
 Morris, James W., expenses \$ 94.10
 Morton's Garage, James, repairs \$ 37.50
 Poland's Service Station, supplies \$ 9.05
 Public Health Nursing, subscription \$ 3.00
 Queen City Electric Repair Co., repairs \$ 7.50
 Rosenbaum Brothers, merchandise \$ 76.33
 Schade's Service Station, gas and oil \$ 55.31
 Schade & Twigg, gas and oil \$ 3.23
 Semler, Mrs. G. S., garage rent \$ 48.00
 Standard Oil Company, gas and oil \$ 142.76
 State of Maryland, Cooperative Laboratory, \$ 1,203.62
 Sun Oil Company, gas and oil \$ 56.72
 Thompson Garage, Arch, repairs, etc. \$ 90.70
 West Side Garage, storage and gas and oil \$ 78.01
 Whitfield, Mary, salary \$ 1,800.00
 Whitfield, Mary, expenses \$ 15.00
 Total \$ 14,723.06
 Estimated amount to pay Board of Health Expenses to March 31, 1945 \$ 15,758.00

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGES AND STENOGRAPHERS

To additional compensation for Associate Judges of the Circuit Court (Allegany County's apportionment) as per House Bill No. 173, passed in the 1924 Session of the Maryland Legislature \$ 1,650.00
 Salary of Court Stenographer \$ 2,250.00
 Salary of Stenographer \$ 1,260.00
 Total \$ 5,160.00

CLERK'S FEES

Jackson, Robert-Clerk's Fees from March 31, 1943 to April 1, 1944 \$ 3,173.79
 Albright, Charles \$ 632.38
 Crowe, Denzel \$ 23.75
 Crowe, Wilbur \$ 75
 Davies, John E. \$ 579.00
 Hutcheson, Simeon \$ 2.25
 Mason, John \$ 3.75
 Muir, Matthew \$ 350.00
 Nelson, Branson, J. \$ 296.75
 Rether, Harry \$ 709.11
 Wilson, F. A. \$ 666.02
 Total \$ 3,263.78
 Estimated to pay Salaries and fees of Constables to March 31, 1945 \$ 3,000.00

CONTINGENT FUND

Amount paid for Contingent Expenses from April 1, 1943, to March 31, 1944:
 Allegany County War Chest, subscription \$ 3,750.00
 American Red Cross, subscription \$ 3,000.00
 Ankeny Company, The, supplies \$ 425.51
 Barnes & Barnard, insurance premium \$ 138.00
 Barton Job Press, supplies \$ 4.75
 Beall Insurance & Realty Co., bond premiums \$ 3,513.27
 Bedford Road Vol. Fire Co., appropriation \$ 200.00
 Bowen, Dr. Ralph C., lunacy examinations \$ 10.00
 Broadbent, Dr. E. E., lunacy examinations \$ 10.00
 Burroughs Adding Machine Co., repairs \$ 19.10
 Cessna Lumber Corporation, supplies \$ 80
 C. & P. Telephone Company, phone \$ 496.07
 Civilian Defense for Allegany County, supplies \$ 193.01
 Coffman-Flsher Company, supplies \$ 246.60
 Commercial Press, The, supplies \$ 696.25
 Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, postage on auto tags \$ 1.12
 Consumers Union, membership \$ 4.00
 Conway Insurance Co.,

James M., insurance premium \$ 41.65
 Cook, Winona R., salary \$ 280.00
 Corson, Dr. Linne H., lunacy examinations \$ 185.00
 Cresapton Vol. Fire Co., additional appropriation \$ 175.00
 Crown Ribbon & Carbon Mfg. Co., supplies \$ 7.00
 Cumberland & Allegheny Gas Co., fuel \$ 13.00
 Cumberland Community Chest, contribution \$ 2,100.00
 Cumberland Fair Association, contribution \$ 2,000.00
 Cumberland Office Supply Co., supplies \$ 13.40
 Deming, Dr. H. V., lunacy examinations \$ 35.00
 Diehl, Dr. H. C., lunacy examinations \$ 15.00
 Dreyer, Frederick C., repairing rescue boats \$ 35.00
 Flintstone Vol. Fire Co., appropriation \$ 200.00
 Gatten, Dr. W. E., lunacy examination \$ 5.00
 Geare-Everstine Agency, insurance premium \$ 45.00
 George, Effie, salary \$ 105.98
 Green, Mildred, salary \$ 859.50
 Green, Simeon, W., fees \$ 5.00
 Griffith, Herbert H., fees \$ 150.00
 Hall, Charles O., annual audit \$ 1,075.00
 Hart, Anna, salary \$ 490.00
 Hartman and Weismiller, repairs \$ 50.15
 Heinrich & Jenkins, Minute Men Uniforms \$ 425.25
 Holmes, James, fees \$ 5.00
 Holzhu Co., J. H., insurance premiums \$ 27.80
 H. and S. Heating and Plumbing Co., repairs \$ 37.58
 Jackson, Robert, library appropriation and Notary Commission \$ 505.50
 Jacobson, Dr. Samuel M., Johnsonville Office Supply Co., supplies \$ 1.61
 Kelly, Hugh J., transportation \$ 6.00
 Kiplinger Washington Agency, subscription \$ 18.00
 Landis, Myron S., repairs and supplies \$ 83.00
 Lawson, Dr. William H., lunacy examination \$ 5.00
 Leasure, Tolbert, services \$ 8.00
 Liberty Hardware Co., supplies \$ 2.12
 Loar, Margaret T., salary \$ 225.00
 Maryland Code Company \$ 30.00
 Mathews, Dr. L. Berkeley, lunacy examinations \$ 40.00
 Mayor & City Council of Cumberland, taxes \$ 33.16
 Midland Fire Department, additional appropriation \$ 175.00
 Monarch Printing Co., supplies \$ 102.75
 Monroe Calculating Machine Co., Inc., repairs \$ 25.00
 Mt. Savage Fire Department, additional appropriation \$ 175.00
 Mueller, H. Gerard, auto cards \$ 146.40
 McKaig's, supplies \$ 3.21
 McLane, Dr. W. Oliver, lunacy examination \$ 5.00
 McLean, Dr. James E., lunacy examination \$ 125.00
 Nicholson, Somerville, expenses \$ 280.87
 Park, James, bond premium \$ 630.00
 Potomac Edison Company, energy \$ 12.00
 Price, Thomas W., plumbing \$ 49.14
 Queen City Paint and Glass Co., supplies \$ 22.02
 Quinn, Frank, postage \$ 90.70
 Race, M. W., horses and wagon \$ 1,800.00
 Railway Express Agency, express charges \$ 4.18
 Reeves Clinic, The, lunacy examination \$ 5.00
 Reinhart, M. D., insurance premium \$ 18.40
 Miller & Co., D. P., insurance premium \$ 175.00
 Root, Eleanor S., salary \$ 47.70
 Sanborn Map Company, map corrections \$ 2.45
 Schade and Twigg, gas and oil \$ 7.50
 Schultz, H. F., services \$ 49.71
 Second National Bank, rent of deposit box and shipping bonds \$ 1,169.80
 Shriver, James C., envelopes, postage and box rent \$ 36.45
 Springfield State Hospital, expenses \$ 8.25
 Standard Press, The, supplies \$ 3.00
 Stevenson, James G., fees \$ 119.25
 Stevenson, James G., expenses \$ 775.00
 Stump, John J., bond premium \$ 1.10
 Thomas, B. H., meals \$ 31.50
 Times and Allegany Company, advertising \$ 25.00
 Trevasik, Dr. Richard W., lunacy examinations \$ 1,794.55
 Transferred to Tax Collectors' Fund \$ 2.30
 Tri-State Paper Co., supplies \$ 3.70
 U. S. Treasury Department, surplus N.Y.A. material \$ 1,750.00
 Walters, Dr. Hilda Jane, lunacy examination \$ 5.00
 Western Maryland Motor Club, contribution \$ 50.00
 Western Union Telegraph Co., time service \$ 30.00
 West Side Pharmacy, drugs \$ 3.53
 Whitworth, Horace P., legal services \$ 125.00
 Wilkinson, Charles N., fees \$ 5.00
 Wilson Hardware Co., supplies \$ 2.34
 Woodard C. R., expenses \$ 11.04
 Total \$ 30,821.94
 Estimated to pay Contingent Expenses to March 31, 1945 \$ 40,151.23

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

For salary of County Commissioners (3) to March 31, 1945 \$ 4,500.00
 Salary of Clerk to March 31, 1945 \$ 2,400.00
 Salary of County Assessor to March 31, 1945 \$ 3,000.00
 Estimated to cover Court

Salary of Assistant County Assessor to March 31, 1945 \$ 2,700.00
 Salary of Bookkeeper to March 31, 1945 \$ 3,300.00
 Salary of Attorney to Board to March 31, 1945 \$ 900.00
 Salary of Stenographer to March 31, 1945 \$ 1,500.00
 Salary of Stenographer to March 31, 1945 \$ 1,500.00
 Total \$ 19,800.00

COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING MAINTENANCE

Estimated cost of maintenance of County Office Building, including repairs, painting, etc. \$ 4,700.00

COURT HOUSE EXPENSES

Amount paid for Court House expenses from April 1, 1943, to March 31, 1944:
 American Cotton Products Co., supplies \$ 23.19
 American Stores Co., supplies \$ 18.40
 Apex Soap and Sanitary Corp., supplies \$ 159.69
 Banks, Daniel, salary \$ 243.51
 Barnard, John, insurance premium \$ 25.00
 Barnes & Barnard, insurance premiums \$ 159.43
 Beall Insurance & Realty Co., insurance premium \$ 283.60
 Benson, Mrs. D. A., insurance premium \$ 49.80
 Boettner and Boettner, insurance and premium \$ 118.80
 Burwell Chemical Co., supplies \$ 144.70
 Charlton Bros. Transportation Co., \$ 1.10
 Chicago Watchclock Corp., repairs \$ 29.75
 Consolidation Coal Co., coal \$ 643.32
 Conway, James M., insurance premium \$ 69.00
 Cressap, Frank E., recharging fire extinguishers \$ 18.00
 Cumberland & Allegheny Gas Co., fuel \$ 5.00
 Darr, Nial, salary \$ 377.60
 Dawson, Ethel N., supplies \$ 21.27
 Emerick, Edward, services \$ 10.00
 Finnan, Bart J., insurance premium \$ 95.80
 Geare-Everstine Agency, insurance premium \$ 95.80
 Green, Alvie F., insurance premium \$ 160.20
 Griffith Insurance Agency, insurance premium \$ 109.60
 Himmeler, Harry, repairs \$ 1.75
 Hocking & Hocking, insurance premium \$ 47.90
 Hollingsworth, Thelma, services \$ 9.00
 Holzhu Co., J. H., insurance premium \$ 141.80
 Huber, Joseph, services \$ 30.15
 Huber Mary, cleaning services \$ 177.50
 Humbertson, Mrs. Michael, services \$ 7.50
 Inter-State Chemical Co., supplies \$ 125.98
 Izat, Anna, services \$ 10.00
 Keizer, C. Edgar, insurance premium \$ 1,766.35
 Kliffner Sign Service \$ 72.80
 Koelker, Harry, painting \$ 50.00
 Lapp, R. H., plumbing \$ 65.10
 Liberty Hardware Co., supplies \$ 12.65
 Lowe Paint and Supply Co., supplies \$ 5.55
 Macy, Albert H., insurance premium \$ 116.90
 Martin and Martin, insurance premium \$ 111.00
 Mayor and City Council of Cumberland, water rent \$ 128.97
 Metzger & Holben Co., insurance premium \$ 128.00
 Miller & Co., D. P., insurance premium \$ 118.80
 Mullin, Lloyd E., salary \$ 1,200.00
 Murphy's Five and Ten Cent Store, supplies \$ 5.89
 Otis Elevator Co., services \$ 87.80
 Parker, Marcellus, salary \$ 950.00
 Peoples Hardware Co., supplies \$ 85.10
 Perrin & Perrin, insurance premium \$ 46.00
 Posselt, Ernest, repairs \$ 14.25
 Potomac Edison Co., The, energy \$ 689.47
 Prichard Corporation, The, supplies \$ 17.40
 Queen City Brewing Co., The, ice \$ 280.00
 Queen City Paint and Glass Co., supplies \$ 24.00
 Reith, Carl P., groceries \$ 32.40
 Rosenbaum Brothers, supplies \$ 6.33
 Rudy's Incorporated, installing linoleum \$ 285.50
 Russler - Chadwick Co., supplies \$ 6.61
 Schmidt, Vandegrift and Welch Ins., insurance premium \$ 191.60
 Simpson Company, supplies \$ 52.92
 Snyder, Aaron, services \$ 20.15
 Snyder, Ruth, services \$ 15.50
 Sterling Electric Co., repairs \$ 83.54
 Stump, John J., insurance premium \$ 141.80
 Sunshine Stores, Inc., supplies \$ 2.30
 Taylor, Thomas H., insurance premium \$ 141.80
 Tri-State Paper Company, supplies \$ 134.06
 Tri-State Towel and Coat Service \$ 24.00
 Wagner, C. W., hauling \$ 213.31
 Watson, C. Glenn, insurance premium \$ 95.80
 West Disinfecting Co., supplies \$ 130.14
 White, Daniel, services \$ 3.00
 Wiebel, John G. and John Workmeister, insurance premium \$ 72.80
 Wilson Hardware Co., supplies \$ 3.70
 Wilson, Ralph E., insurance premium \$ 118.80
 Wilson & Pugh Co., supplies \$ 7.20
 Zimmerman, J. F., repairs \$ 2.80
 Total \$ 11,163.14
 Estimated to cover Court

House expenses, salary of Janitor and Night Watchman, from April 1, 1944, to March 31, 1945 \$ 6,500.00

DEBT BOND ACCOUNT

For amount of Memorial Hospital Bonds, 4 1/2% of 1927, due January 1, 1944 \$ 5,000.00
 For amount of School Bonds, 5 1/2% of 1921, due July 1, 1944 \$ 36,000.00
 For amount of School Bonds, 4 1/2% of 1922, due July 1, 1944 \$ 50,000.00
 For amount of School Bonds, 3 1/2% of 1933, due November 1, 1944 \$ 21,000.00
 For amount of School Bonds, 2 1/2% of 1939, due January 1, 1945 \$ 15,000.00
 For amount of School Bonds, 1-6/10% of 1941, due September 1, 1944 \$ 40,000.00
 For amount of Road Bonds, 1 1/4% of 1938, due November 1, 1944 \$ 60,000.00
 Total \$ 226,000.00

DEBT BOND COUPON ACCOUNT

5% School Bond Issue of 1920, due July 1, 1944 \$ 5,250.00
 Due Jan. 1, 1945 \$ 4,375.00
 5% School Bond Issue of 1921, due July 1, 1944 \$ 5,250.00
 Due Jan. 1, 1945 \$ 5,250.00
 4 1/2% School Bond Issue of 1922, due July 1, 1944 \$ 2,250.00
 Due Jan. 1, 1945 \$ 1,125.00
 4 1/2% School Bond Issue of 1923, due July 1, 1944 \$ 10,625.00
 Due Jan. 1, 1945 \$ 10,625.00
 4 1/2% School Bond Issue of 1928, due July 1, 1944 \$ 5,312.50
 Due Jan. 1, 1945 \$ 5,312.50
 3 1/2% School Bond Issue of 1933, due May 1, 1944 \$ 8,268.75
 Due Nov. 1, 1944 \$ 8,268.75
 2 1/2% School Bond Issue of 1939, due July 1, 1944 \$ 8,250.00
 Due Jan. 1, 1945 \$ 8,250.00
 2 1/2% School Bond Issue of 1939, due May 1, 1944 \$ 1,062.50
 Due Nov. 1, 1944 \$ 1,062.50
 1-6/10% School Bond Issue of 1941, due Sept. 1, 1944 \$ 5,760.00
 Due March 1, 1945 \$ 5,440.00
 4 1/2% Hospital Bond Issue of 1927, due July 1, 1944 \$ 331.25
 Due Jan. 1, 1945 \$ 331.25
 1-6/10% Hospital Bond Issue of 1943, due July 1, 1944 \$ 320.00
 Due Jan. 1, 1945 \$ 320.00
 1 1/4% Road Bond Issue of 1939, due May 1, 1944 \$ 375.00
 Due Nov. 1, 1944 \$ 375.00
 3-4/10% Road Bond Issue of 1939, due Sept. 1, 1944 \$ 1,360.00
 Due March 1, 1945 \$ 1,360.00
 1% Road Bond Issue of 1940, due May 1, 1944 \$ 110.00
 Due Nov. 1, 1944 \$ 110.00
 3-4/10% Savage River Dam Issue of 1939, due July 1, 1944 \$ 17,000.00
 Due Jan. 1, 1945 \$ 17,000.00
 Total \$ 141,130.00

DEPUTY MEDICAL EXAMINER

Estimated to pay Deputy Medical Examiner's Salary to March 31, 1945 \$ 1,500.00

DISCOUNTS

Estimated amount of Discounts allowed on County Taxes for the year ending March 31, 1945 \$ 60,000.00

ELECTION EXPENSES

Amount expended on salaries and other expenses from April 1, 1943, to March 31, 1944 \$ 3,024.03
 Estimated to pay Election Expenses to March 31, 1945 (Election Year) \$ 28,000.00

FARMERS' COOPERATIVE AGENT

Estimated to pay expenses of the Farmers' Cooperative Agent to March 31, 1945 \$ 4,300.00

FOREST FIRE ACCOUNT

Amount expended in Forest Fire Service from April 1, 1943, to March 31, 1944 \$ 1,166.85
 (One-half of the above is paid by the State).
 Estimated amount to pay for Forest Fire Service to March 31, 1945 \$ 2,000.00

GENERAL PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Estimated amount necessary for General Public Assistance to March 31, 1945 \$ 59,137.00

INSANE ASYLUM

Amount expended for maintenance of Indigent Insane Patients, salary of Superintendent, Matron, Wardens and other help from April 1, 1943, to March 31, 1944 \$ 31,165.83
 Estimated amount for same to March 31, 1945 \$ 31,000.00

INSOLVENCIES AND ERRONEOUS ASSESSMENTS

Estimated amount to cover allowance for Insolventcies and Erroneous Assessments to March 31, 1945 \$ 10,000.00

JAIL ACCOUNT

Acme Chemical Corporation, supplies \$ 138.83
 American Oil Co., supplies \$ 36.94
 Atlantic Refining Co., supplies \$ 63.62
 Auto Electric and Car-buretor, supplies \$ 15.83
 Barnes and Barnard,

insurance premium \$ 26.75
 Benson, Mrs. D. A., insurance premium \$ 30.55
 Beall Insurance and Realty Co., insurance premium \$ 32.80
 Buchanan Lumber Co., supplies \$ 7.70
 Builders' Paint & Supply Co., supplies \$ 71.04
 Butler Brothers, supplies \$ 95.55
 Burwell Chemical Co., supplies \$ 20.15
 C. & P. Telephone Co., Carney Auto Parts, repairs \$ 264.05
 Cessna Lumber Corporation, supplies \$ 3.30
 Colt's Patent Fire Arms Mfg. Co., pistols \$ 99.40
 Commercial Press, The, supplies \$ 84.00
 Community Baking Co., The, supplies \$ 8.00
 Consolidation Coal Co., coal \$ 200.32
 Cook & Sons, W. H., groceries \$ 209.29
 Cowherd and Rathbone, Drs., X-ray examination \$ 40.15
 Crowe, Denzel, special deputy \$ 10.00
 Cumberland & Allegheny Gas Co., \$ 120.98
 Cumberland Cement and Supply Co., supplies \$ 11.25
 Cumberland Heights Grocery \$ 48.48
 Cumberland Mattress Co., merchandise \$ 54.00
 Dacey & Co., W. S., supplies \$ 46.11
 Dawson, Ethel W., supplies \$ 89
 Dingle Drug Store, drugs \$ 33.75
 Dingle Esso Station, tire \$ 39.10
 Dressman Brothers, meat \$ 54.47
 Duro Test Corporation, supplies \$ 14.16
 Durant and Son, Lloyd, supplies \$ 12.00
 Galloway, P. H., rent \$ 7.65
 Kenney, James P., salary \$ 27.50
 Kenney, James P., expenses \$ 418.78
 McCormick, Joseph P., salary \$ 138.17
 McPartland, Bernard F., salary \$ 25.47
 Marshall, Robert, lunch \$ 63.00
 Monahan, Aloysius V., salary \$ 117.72
 Naughton, Harold E., services \$ 57.30
 Porter, Owen L., salary \$ 40.66
 Porter, Owen L., expenses \$ 117.33
 Ritchie, Albert J., refund \$ 17.25
 Schmutz-Vandegrift and Welch, bond premiums \$ 283.77
 Stakem, Thomas E., salary \$ 69.75
 Stakem, Thomas E., rent \$ 41.30
 Town of Barton, fees \$ 85.52
 Town of Lonaconing, rent \$ 48.46
 Town of Westernport, fees \$ 135.47
 Total \$ 8,804.14
 Amount necessary to pay Magistrates' Fees and Salaries to March 31, 1945 \$ 7,500.00

JURY AND WITNESS FUND

Total amount expended for Jurors and Witnesses from April 1, 1943, to March 31, 1944 \$ 9,435.34
 Estimated amount necessary to pay Jurors and Witnesses to March 31, 1945 \$ 12,000.00

JUVENILE COURT FUND

For salary of Judge and Clerk to March 31, 1945 \$ 2,766.67

MAGISTRATES' FUND

Amount paid to Magistrates in fees and salaries from April 1, 1943, to March 31, 1944 \$ 120.98

STATE'S ATTORNEY'S FUND

Salary of State's Attorney to March 31, 1945 \$ 3,000.00
 Salary of Assistant State's Attorney to March 31, 1945 \$ 2,400.00
 Salary of Investigator to March 31, 1945 \$ 2,400.00
 Salary of Stenographer to March 31, 1945 \$ 1,200.00
 Other expenses to March 31, 1944 \$ 1,739.96
 Total \$ 10,739.96
 Total amount to be levied for same to March 31, 1945 \$ 11,000.00

STATE INSANE HOSPITALS

Amount expended for County Patients at State Institutions from April 1, 1943 to March 31, 1944 \$ 28,469.94
 Estimated amount to cover cost of patients in State Institutions to March 31, 194

Victory Loop Stars of 1943 Will Help Plug Gaps in Allegany Nine

Second Baseman Lou Baker and Third Sacker John Cox are Only Holdovers on Squad

Coach Walter L. "Bill" Bowers, who has only two holdovers from last year's Allegany high baseball squad available, looks for a number of boys who starred in the Victory Junior League last season to help plug the gaps made in the West Side nine by graduation and other causes.

Last night, Coach Bowers said that forty-four boys have reported for pre-season practice with Lou Baker, second baseman, and Johnny Cox, third sacker, the only holdovers. Both were regulars a year ago when the Gaspers split even in ten Tri-State Inter-Scholastic Conference battles and turned back the

Romney (W.Va.) High Pioneers twice.

With Baker and Cox slated to hold down their old positions, the shortstop and first base assignments are wide open. Infield prospects include Dick Smith, a Victory League product; Bob Price, Jim Young, John Bachman, Ken Cubbage and Walter Davis.

Three other tossers who gained experience in the Victory League last summer are among the outfield candidates. They are Jim Hines, Charles Caldwell and Ronald Dure. Other outfield aspirants include Powers, a ninth grader, John Landenberger, Olin Moody, Ben Lincoln, Bill Thompson, Milton Wertz and Bob Baker.

Eight pitchers are working out and the most likely looking hurlers are Jim Evans and Dick DeHart, two right-handers, and Warren Nelson, a southpaw. Evans and DeHart played Victory League ball last season with DeHart starting at second base for the West Side outfit.

The catching department also is a big question mark with five receivers on the squad. The race for the job seems to have narrowed down to three contenders — Jim Radcliffe, who played in the outfield for the North End club of the 1943 Victory League, George Mothersole and Bill Bartlett.

Mentor Bowers, at the helm this spring for the first time in recent years, indicated that the Campers may meet one or two teams outside the conference if contests can be arranged. Alfred Fritz tutored the Blue and White nine last spring.

The Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
YESTERDAY'S RESULTS			
New York 2, Boston 1			
Cincinnati 2, Chicago 1			
Brooklyn 5, Philadelphia 4 (ten innings)			
Others not scheduled			
STANDING OF CLUBS			
	W	L	Pct.
New York	2	0	1.000
St. Louis	1	0	1.000
Chicago	1	1	.500
Philadelphia	1	1	.500
Cincinnati	1	1	.500
Brooklyn	1	1	.500
Pittsburgh	0	1	.000
Boston	0	2	.000

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
YESTERDAY'S RESULTS			
Boston 6, New York 1 (three innings)			
Boston 5, New York 2 (second)			
St. Louis 3, Detroit 1			
Chicago 3, Cleveland 1			
Philadelphia at Washington, postponed.			
STANDING OF CLUBS			
	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	2	0	1.000
Philadelphia	1	0	1.000
Chicago	1	0	1.000
Boston	2	1	.667
New York	1	2	.333
Washington	0	1	.000
Cleveland	0	1	.000
Detroit	0	2	.000

PGA Is Mapping Richest Summer Tourney Program

Ten Events Planned with War Bond Prizes Totaling \$150,000

By CHARLES CHAMBERLAIN
CHICAGO, April 19. (AP) — The Professional Golfers Association of America is mapping a ten-tournament summer program—the richest and probably the most out-dried in the game's history.

War bond prizes estimated at \$150,000 will be awarded during the three-month campaign starting with the \$17,500 Philadelphia Invitational June 8-11. A combine of four players—Byron Nelson, Jug McSpaden, Craig Wood and Sammy Byrd—Threatens to monopolize the bonanzas. They are the only outstanding championship contenders remaining in circulation, and among them, seven of nine meets on the revived winter tour which paid off \$100,000 in bonds. McSpaden took four of the titles.

Service men may play. Also on the golden summer trail will be such "name" boys as Willie Goggin, Johnny Revolta, the Texas open champion, Tony Penna, Hardy Cooper, Jimmy Hines, Ed Dudley, Gene Sarazen and possibly even Walter Hagen.

From time to time such servicemen as Chick Harbert, Jim Turnesa, Dutch Harrison and Clay Heafner may get furloughs and strengthen the entry lists. But the PGA will be able to guarantee the appearance of only ten "big shots" headed by the Nelson-McSpaden-Wood-Byrd powerhouse.

Despite these limitations, PGA officials declare there is an "exceptionally high interest" in golf, both in this country and abroad.

Fred Corcoran, PGA tournament bureau manager who returned from a Red Cross overseas tour a month ago, said the United States produces a million caddies annually and that many of them are on the fighting fronts.

Five Tournaments Definite
"They still talk eat and sleep golf," he said. "Interest also is at a peak in this country—twenty million dollars in war bonds were sold on our winter tour."

Five tournaments are definitely scheduled for the summer swing—the Philadelphia invitational, the revived National PGA, Minneapolis Golden Valley best ball team matches, Chicago Victory national and the Tam O'Shanter \$25,000 extravaganza. Tentative plans are set for meets in New York, Detroit and Nashville, Tenn., and the complete ten-tournament chart is expected to be organized in several weeks.

Ott Hits Homer; Giants Win 2-1

NEW YORK, April 19 (AP)—A home run by Manager Mel Ott, his first of the year and four hundred sixty-fourth of his major league career, enabled the New York Giants to win their second straight over the Boston Braves, 2-1, today.

Ott's homer came in the first inning with George Hausmann, who had walked, on base.

Lefty Ewald Pyle, ex-American Leaguer, limited the Braves to four hits, two by Outfielder Tommy Holmes. Boston's lone run came in the third inning when Billy Wietaim walked, moved to third on Steve Shemo's double to left, and scored on Holmes's single behind second.

Veteran Jim Tobin held the Giants to three hits, but gave up five bases on balls. The box:

Boston: ARRH O New York: ARRH O
Wm. 2b, 2 0 0 4 Rucker, cf, 4 0 0 0
Shemo, 3b, 2 0 1 2 H. Smith, 2b, 1 1 1 1
Hoffner, cf, 1 0 0 0 Ott, 1b, 1 1 1 1
Holmes, cf, 4 0 2 1 Medwick, lf, 2 0 0 4
Glavin, 2b, 4 0 0 1 W. Traub, 3b, 3 0 0 0
Workman, rf, 4 0 0 1 Lombardi, c, 2 0 1 3
Niemann, lf, 3 0 0 0 Reyes, c, 0 0 0 0
Eichhorn, 1b, 3 0 0 0 Mancuso, c, 0 0 0 2
Mead, c, 2 0 1 2 Slaby, 2b, 2 0 0 1
Pyle, p, 3 0 0 0 Kerr, ss, 2 0 0 2
Totals: 29 14 24 Totals: 24 7 27

Woodmen To Oppose Celanese Spinners

The Woodmen of the World will face their first competition of the season when they oppose the Celanese Spinners tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock at Community park in a softball game. It was announced last night by Manager Bruce Lee, who will pilot the Woodmen in the Rocking Chair League race, said that all members of the squad should be on hand for the practice tilt.

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Yankees Handed Double Setback By Boston Sox

Yawkey's Farm System Outshines New York Variety in Twin-Bill

By JACK HAND

BOSTON, April 19. (AP) — Tom Yawkey's farm system outshone the New York Yankee variety today as George (Pinky) Woods and Emmett O'Neil, two Louisville products, hurled the Boston Red Sox to a double Patriots' day victory, 6-1 and 5-2, over the world champions. Crowds totalling 17,026 saw the usual a. m. and p. m. routine.

O'Neil spoiled Walt Dubiel's big league debut by scattering seven New York bingles in the afternoon version played before 13,650 customers at Fenway park. Jim Tabor's home run following Bobby Doerr's double gave the Sox an early lead, their never surrendered in piling up their 5-2 margin. Tabor also had a single and a double.

Ed Levy's second inning circuit clout and Johnny Lindell's double were the only extra basers off O'Neil, young right-hander from San Mateo, Calif. Dubiel, up from Newark, was touched for eleven safes, and walked five.

Woods, who was effective for Boston late last season after moving up from Louisville, was hit often but rattled the nine Yank ringer hits along the way for the verdict over Lefty Johnny Johnson, who spent 1943 on the Kansas City farm.

The Sox broke loose with five runs in the sixth to smash a one-al tie when Johnson, who walked seven, weakened and was knocked out of the box on doubles by Tabor and Leon Culberson and singles by Skeeter Newsome and Ford Garrison. Milkman Jim Turner and Rookie Joe Page, making his first mound appearance this year in any ball park, finished. The scores:

FIRST GAME			
	W	L	Pct.
New York	2	0	1.000
St. Louis	1	0	1.000
Chicago	1	1	.500
Philadelphia	1	1	.500
Cincinnati	1	1	.500
Brooklyn	1	1	.500
Pittsburgh	0	1	.000
Boston	0	2	.000

SECOND GAME			
	W	L	Pct.
New York	2	0	1.000
St. Louis	1	0	1.000
Chicago	1	1	.500
Philadelphia	1	1	.500
Cincinnati	1	1	.500
Brooklyn	1	1	.500
Pittsburgh	0	1	.000
Boston	0	2	.000

Favored Timeless Captures Feature Race at Pimlico

Chestnut Son of Grand Time Wins Bowie Kindergarten Stakes

By DONALD SANDERS

BALTIMORE, April 19. (AP) — Breaking first from an inside post position and keeping the margin throughout, Timeless carried the silks of Mrs. Collin MacLeod to victory in the \$7,500 added Bowie Kindergarten stakes before an estimated crowd of 10,000 persons at Pimlico race course today.

The Chestnut son of Grand Time and Movie Lass won the seventh running of the two-year-old stake by three and a half lengths from Hoop, Jr., from the newly-founded stable of F. W. Hooper.

The winner, who had won his only three previous starts at Hialeah park, received a purse of \$5,150 to boost its earnings to \$12,910.

At the wire, Hoop, Jr., held a length advantage of S. W. Labrot's Shako, while W. A. Coleman's Don Chance was fourth in the field of six.

Timeless, piloted by Jockey Jack Westrope, covered the four and a half furlongs in 56 2-5 seconds over a slow racing strip. The favorite in the wagering, Timeless returned \$4.40, \$3.00 and \$2.40 for a \$2 mutual ticket.

First away from the gate, Timeless was never in danger and pulled away easily in the stretch. Hoop, Jr., a son of Sir Gallahad III, broke slowly under Jockey Nick Coule and trailed the field around the first turn. Moving up fast on the outside, he was still third coming into the stretch and sped down the straightaway to take second money handily.

Timeless carried top weight of 122 pounds under the allowance conditions, giving away from three to ten pounds to the other starters.

TODAY'S PITCHERS

NEW YORK, April 19. (AP)—Probable pitchers for tomorrow's major league games, 1943 records in parentheses:

American League			
Philadelphia at Washington			
Christopher (5-8) vs. Wynn (18-12)			
St. Louis at Detroit—Jukut (0-0) or Shirley (0-0) vs. Newhouse (8-17)			
Other clubs not scheduled.			
National League			
Boston at New York—Barrett (12-18) vs. Adams (17-7)			
Brooklyn at Philadelphia—Ostermuller (1-1) vs. Schanz (0-0)			
Pittsburgh at St. Louis—Gee (4-4) vs. Cooper (21-8)			
Chicago at Cincinnati—Fleming (0-1) vs. De La Cruz (0-0)			

AT THE TRACKS

PIMLICO RESULTS
FIRST—Gallant Mowbray, 7.90, 4.40, 3.20; Punchdrunk, 10.80, 10.00; Golden Bate, 6.60.
SECOND—Ginger Meal, 48.10, 10.40, 4.40; Tomterville, 3.70, 3.50; Somewhere, 2.70.
THIRD—Caddy, 4.80, 3.00, 2.10; Bill Coffman, 6.10, 3.00; Burma Road, 2.50.
FOURTH—No. 50, Good, 4.70, 3.30, 2.70; Belmont, 2.70, 2.00; Five-Thirty, 2.00.
FIFTH—Timeless, 4.40, 3.00, 2.40; Hoop, Jr., 3.10, 2.40, 2.00.
SIXTH—Morocco, Sir, 9.10, 4.70, 3.10; Red Wrack, 4.10, 2.90; Red Level, 2.60.
SEVENTH—Mita, 11.30, 6.00, 4.10; Foot Soldier, 8.00, 5.80; Over Call, 3.40.
EIGHTH—Red Rosette, 4.70, 3.10, 2.30; Alfred Stuart, 4.60, 2.50; Admiral Jim, 2.40.

PIMLICO SCRATCHES
FIRST RACE—Doug Amos, Niek, Sumpter, Sweet Miss.
THIRD—Pamela, Alexis, Lubra, Peace.
THIRD—Bank Note.
FIFTH—Pamela, Alexis, Lubra, Peace.
SIXTH—Connacht, Identie.
EIGHTH—Skippers Mate, Hard Cracker, White Hot.
Track slow.

PIMLICO ENTRIES
FIRST RACE—Purse \$1,800; maidens; colts and geldings; for 3-year-olds; four and a half furlongs.
SECOND—Purse \$1,800; maidens; colts and geldings; for 3-year-olds; four and a half furlongs.
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Reds Shade Cubs To Square Series

Chicago today, 2-1, on the strength of Ray Mueller's fourth-inning double with two mates on base, and evened the series at-one game each.

Don Johnson, a sparkplug in yesterday's opening day Bruin triumph, doubled in the sixth for his team's only extra-base blow, advanced on Phil Cavarretta's fly to right and scored on Bill Nicholson's drive to Dain Clay in center. Attendance was 1,766, against yesterday's 30,154. The box:

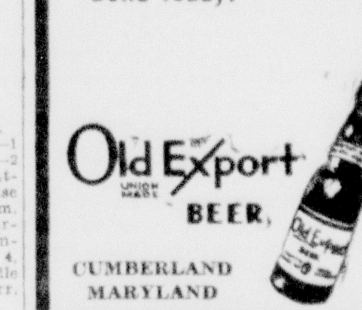
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St. Louis	1	1	.500
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St. Louis	1	1	.500

Coming to Pimlico
Mrs. Payne Whitney's racer, Mule Bill, will come to Pimlico shortly to compete in training for the Pimlico Oaks on May 10. Music Hall was a winner at Jamaica.

Other Sports News On Page 11



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LEVY LIST (Continued)

Stock \$8,000.00; Corporation Franchise Tax \$2,000.00; the amount due from the State for the maintenance of insane \$8,000.00; estimated amount of interest on taxes of \$10,000.00; estimated from Liquor Licenses \$15,000.00; from the State Roads Commission for Bond Retirement \$52,539.27; from State Comptroller, County's allocation of Income Tax \$10,000.00; anticipated receipts from Jail \$2,500.00; Magistrates \$2,000.00; Peoples' Court \$2,500.00; from paid patients in State Hospitals \$4,000.00; from Board of Education \$1,000.00; and an aggregate of unexpended balances of \$89,867.61 from the previous levy, making a total of \$1,811,806.88

The State Tax Rate is fixed by statute at Twelve Cents (12c) on each one hundred dollars of assessable property, which added to One Dollar and Sixty-eight Cents (\$1.68) for County purposes makes a total of One Dollar and Eighty Cents (\$1.80) on each one hundred dollars of assessable property in Allegany County as the tax rate for the year 1944.

By an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, at its 1931 Session, a discount of five per cent (5%) will be allowed on County Taxes if paid on or before the last day of June; of four per cent (4%) if paid on or before the last day of July; of three per cent (3%) if paid on or before the last day of August. No discount will be allowed on taxes after the latter date. Interest at the rate of one-half of one per cent per month, or fractional part thereof shall be charged from the 31st of August.

Chapter 261 of the Acts of 1918 of the Public General Laws of Maryland, provides that no discount will be allowed on State Taxes. Interest at the rate of one-half of one per cent per month will be collected from October 1st.

NUMBER OF CENTS OR FRACTIONS THEREOF IN THE AMOUNTS LEVIED	
In accordance with Chapter 323 of the Acts of 1912, a statement showing how many cents or fractions thereof of the taxable base is levied for each item in said levy as follows:	
Aid to Dependent Children	88
Allegany County Home and Infirmary	2.87
Appropriations to Incorporated Towns	178
Appropriations to Volunteer	

Fire Companies	84
Assessment Expense	1.11
Attorneys' Fees	.06
Board of Health	1.55
Bounties	.15
Circuit Court Judges and Stenographers	.48
Clerk's Fees	.29
Constables' Fees	.29
Contingent Fund	3.72
County Commissioners	1.83
County Office Building Maintenance	.43
Court House Fund	.79
Debt Bond Account	20.96
Debt Bond Coupon Account	13.09
Deputy Medical Examiner	.13
Discounts	5.56
Election Expenses	2.59
Farmers' Cooperative Agent	.39
Forest Fire Account	.19
General Public Assistance	5.49
Insane Asylum	2.87
Insolvent and Erroneous Assessments	.93
Jail Account	1.11
Jury and Witness Fund	1.11
Juvenile Court Fund	.25
Magistrates' Fund	.70
Maryland Training School for Boys and Girls	1.34
Old Age Pensions	4.30
Orphan's Court Fund	.39
Peoples' Court Fund	1.09
Public Assistance to the Blind	.45
Public Schools	74.60
Repairs to County Buildings	.40
Roads and bridges	5.56
Sheriff's Salaries	1.01
State's Attorney's Fund	1.02
State Insane Hospitals	2.50
Sundry Charities	.20
Tax Collector's Fund	2.04
Tax Sale Purchases	.29
Teachers' Retirement Fund	.09
Transfer Fees	.02
Treasurer's Salary	.11
Aggregate	168.00

State of Maryland
Allegany County, to-wit:
The Collectors of Public Assessments of Allegany County, Maryland, for the year 1944 are hereby authorized and empowered to demand and receive from the taxables of Allegany County the sum of One Dollar and Eighty Cents, (\$1.80) on each One Hundred Dollars of assessable property in said County and State, agreeable to the Public General Laws of Maryland, in relation to the collection of taxes on said assessments in Allegany County, Maryland.

Given under our hands and seals this 18th day of April, 1944.

SIMEON W. GREEN,
President.

JAMES HOLMES,
Commissioner.

C. N. WILKINSON,
Commissioner.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ALLEGANY COUNTY, MARYLAND.

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JAMES G. STEVENSON,
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Fourth Term Is To Be Discussed At Radio Forum

America's Town Meeting Will Be Held At Augusta, Ga.

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD

NEW YORK, April 19, (AP)—Continuing its spring tour, America's Town Meeting will originate from Augusta, Ga., Blue 8:30 p. m. Thursday, and for a second time debate the fourth-term issue. Specifically, the question to be put is "Should President Roosevelt Have a Fourth Term?" Town meeting first debated the fourth term question at Pittsburgh last spring at a rather exciting broadcast.

This time two Democrats, Rep. John J. Sparkman, of Alabama, and Rep. H. J. McMurtry, of Wisconsin, will uphold the yes side, while one Republican, Rep. John Jennings, Jr., of Tennessee, and an anti-New Deal Democrat, E. R. Burke, former Nebraska senator, will say no.

War Discussion

A discussion period for NBC at 11:15 on "We Still Have the War To Win" will include Under Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson, Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey and Rear Adm. C. M. Cooke, Jr.

Ed Gardner, the Archie from Duffy's tavern of the Blue, turns actor in a dramatic thriller for CBS at 8 o'clock. It will be in suspense, a piece called "The Palmer Method" in which a petty forger gets mixed up in murder and with the Loyals in Spain.

The Nick Carter dramas of MBS, formerly on Saturday nights, have been moved again. But this time instead of a half-hour complete episode weekly, it has been transferred into a serial five times a week.

The Radio Clock

THURSDAY, APRIL 20

Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT—2 Hrs. for MWT. (Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by radio stations too late to incorporate.)

- 5:30—Just Plain Bill, Dramatic—nbc
- The Jack Armstrong Serial—blu-east
- The Sea Hound in repeat—blu-west
- The Landlady Singing Along—nbc
- Chick Carter, a Boy Detective—mbs
- 10:00—Front Page Farrel, Serial—nbc
- 10:15—Captain Midnight, a Serial—blu-east
- American Women, Drama Series—nbc
- 10:30—Dancing Music for Lullabies—nbc
- 10:45—News Report for 15 min.—nbc
- 11:00—Children's Dramatic Skit, Daily—blu
- 11:15—Minutemen of New—nbc
- 11:30—Dancing Music Orchestra—other nbs
- 11:45—England's String Music—other nbs
- 12:00—Comment on the War—mbs
- 12:15—America's Serenade, Sports—nbc
- Ted Husing and His Sport Spot—nbc
- 12:30—Captain Tim Healy's Spy Story—blu
- Dancing Music for 15 minutes—mbs
- 12:45—Jack Armstrong replot—blu-west
- 1:00—Jeri Sullivan and Songs—nbc
- 1:15—News Time and Volney Hurd—mbs
- 1:30—Lowell Thomas & News—nbc
- 1:45—Henry J. Taylor Comment—blu-east
- 2:00—Midnight in repeat—blu-west
- 2:15—World News and Commentary—nbc
- 2:30—Repeat of Kismet Serial—nbc
- 2:45—Fred Waring's Time—nbc
- 3:00—"I Love a Mystery," Dramatic—nbc
- 3:15—Front Page Farrel, Musical Quiz—blu
- 3:30—Lewis J. Jr. Comments—nbc
- 3:45—World War via Broadcast—nbc
- 4:00—John Nantalla, Parody—nbc
- 4:15—The Johnson Family, a Serial—nbc
- 4:30—Boy Burns, Comedy—nbc
- 4:45—Irresistible, Glee, Vocal—other nbs
- 5:00—The Coast Guard Dances Band—blu
- 5:15—Mr. Keen, 30-min. Drama—nbc
- 5:30—Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc
- 5:45—Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc
- 6:00—Author Hale and Comment—nbc
- 6:15—Kaltenborn Comment—nbc
- 6:30—Dance Orchestra (15 minutes)—nbc
- 6:45—Penny Brice & F. Morgan—nbc
- 7:00—Suspense, Mystery Drama Show—nbc
- 7:15—Broadcast of News (15 minutes)—blu
- 7:30—Arthur Hale with repeat—other nbs
- 7:45—Lum and Abner Serial Skit—blu
- 8:00—Fulton Currier News Answer—nbc
- 8:15—The Henry Aldrich Family—nbc
- 8:30—America Town Meeting Forum—blu
- 8:45—Death Valley Days Drama—nbc
- 9:00—The Ambrose from Dixie—nbc
- 9:15—Human Adventures, Dramatic—nbc
- 9:30—Five Minutes News Period—nbc
- 9:45—The Fred Waring repeat—nbc
- 10:00—News, Variety, Dance 2 h.—nbc
- 10:15—Comment, Variety, Dance, 2 h.—nbc
- 10:30—Late Variety With News—nbc

WTBO Highlights

Thursday, April 20, 1944

- 6:00 Sunrise Serenade
- 6:15 News
- 6:30 Corby Ray and the Skipper
- 6:45 News
- 6:50 World news round-up (NBC)
- 6:55 Do You Remember? (NBC)
- 7:00 News
- 7:05 Mirth and Madness (NBC)
- 7:10 Morning Meditations
- 7:15 Songs by Alice Correll (NBC)
- 7:20 Peg Coulehan
- 7:30 News
- 7:35 Head of Life (NBC)
- 7:40 Community hostess
- 7:45 News
- 7:50 Words and Music (NBC)
- 7:55 News
- 8:00 Sky High (NBC)
- 8:05 Sketches in Melody (NBC)
- 8:10 Echoes of the Tropics (NBC)
- 8:15 Morgan Beatty (NBC)
- 8:20 News
- 8:25 Mr. Perkins (NBC)
- 8:30 News
- 8:35 Right to Happiness (NBC)
- 8:40 Package Deal (NBC)
- 8:45 Stella Dallas (NBC)
- 8:50 Lorenzo Jones (NBC)
- 8:55 Young Wadder Brown (NBC)
- 9:00 News
- 9:05 War commentary
- 9:10 Music That Lures Forever
- 9:15 Parade of Sports
- 9:20 News
- 9:25 Musical
- 9:30 Fred Waring (NBC)
- 9:35 Shadow of Yu Manchu
- 9:40 Setting of Postwar Home Owners Association
- 9:45 News
- 9:50 WTBO Concert Hall
- 9:55 Adventure of Mark Twain
- 10:00 Joan Davis and Jack Bailey (NBC)
- 10:05 Abbott and Costello (NBC)
- 10:10 News
- 10:15 News (NBC)
- 10:20 Will Have the War To Win (NBC)
- 10:25 Music of the New World (NBC)
- 10:30 News (NBC)

TONIGHT!

ABBOTT AND COSTELLO

CAMEL CIGARETTES

WTBO—10:00 P. M.

at 9:15. That's the spot recently given up by Bob Ripley.

Cary Grant, together with Don Barclay, are guesting in the Dinah Shore show on CBS at 9:30.

Walter Hoving, department store executive, is to be heard on the Blue at 1:45 from the annual American design award luncheon.

Some Early Offerings

NBC—9 a. m. Mirth and Madness; 12:30 p. m. Sky High, music; 3:30 Pepper Young's family.

CBS—9:15 a. m. American School of the Air (West 3:30 p. m.); 1:45 The Goldberg; 4 Allan Jones and Nancy Donovan; 5 Fun with Dunn.

BLUE—10:15 a. m. My True Story, drama; 12:30 p. m. National Farm and Home Hour; 2:30 Ladies Be Seated; 4 Blue Omnibus program.

MBS—11 a. m. Arthur Gaeth, news; 1:30 p. m. Julia Sanderson; 3:30 Nashville Varieties; 4:30 Full Speed Ahead—Waves.

Today's Pattern



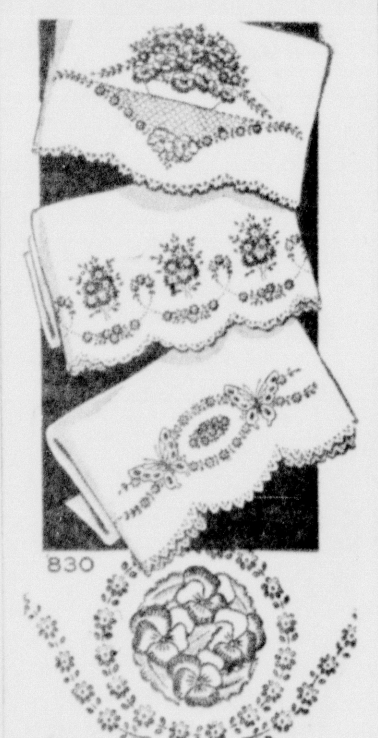
Pattern 9182 comes in junior miss and misses' sizes: 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17. Size 13, sleeveless pinafore, three yards thirty-five inch.

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School Officials To Meet at Towson

TOWSON, Md., April 19 (AP)—Maryland High School principals, supervisors and superintendents will attend the three-day annual conference of secondary principals starting tomorrow at Towson State Teachers college.

The second annual conference will be made up principally of discussion panels.

Principal speakers at the three-day meeting will include Dr. Alexander J. Stoddard, superintendent.

SPECIAL! TONIGHT-9:15 P.M.

THE ADVENTURES OF MARK TWAIN

ARCH OBOLER'S ORIGINAL RADIO PROLOGUE TO WARNER BROS. SCREEN HIT!

STATION WTBO

of Philadelphia schools and chairman of the NEA Educational Policies Commission; R. B. Marston, director of legislative and federal relations divisions of the NEA; Dr. William H. Hartley, history professor at State Teachers' college; Dr. Thomas G. Pullen, Jr., state superintendent of schools; and David Gibson, vice president of the Maryland Casualty Company.

Western Maryland Wins Safety Honors

Western Maryland Railway Company was awarded top honors in the 1943 National Safety Contest among the "20 million man-hour" railroads, according to an announcement just released by the National Safety Council.

The road's 5.61 casualties per million man-hours during 1943 compares with a casualty rate of 11.85 for the entire railroad industry.

Western Maryland's victory is the more significant because it was achieved during a year when the movement of traffic was heaviest on record.

The 1943 trophy will be awarded to the Western Maryland at the National Safety Council's annual meeting to be held in Chicago on May 1. President Charles W. Brown also received the National Safety Award for his company's performance in 1941.

Each 100 gallons of sea water contains about a pound of magnesium.

DAILY CROSSWORD

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| ACROSS | 1. Ravel | 4. Affirmative | 25. Lowest point |
| 2. Seasoning | 5. Kept | 26. Per. to an | |
| 3. To call | 6. Off | 27. Article (Fr.) | |
| 10. A prize | 7. Loiter | 28. Same as | |
| 12. Can'ters | 8. A self-evident truth | 29. Same as | |
| 13. Indistinct | 9. Girl's name | 30. Casters | |
| 14. Part of "to be" | 11. Thick | 31. Known (Scot.) | |
| 15. Part of a lock | 12. Arrived | 32. Rewards of merit | |
| 16. At home | 13. Mulberry | 33. Cut | |
| 17. Extended | 14. Cuckoo | 34. Title (Turk.) | |
| 18. Donkey | 15. Greek letter | 35. Sack | |
| 19. Gain | | | |
| 22. Dancing girl (Egypt.) | | | |
| 23. Personal pronoun | | | |
| 24. Type measure | | | |
| 25. River (Afr.) | | | |
| 28. Sew | | | |
| 32. Highest card | | | |
| 33. Compute, as area, etc. | | | |
| 34. Music note | | | |
| 35. Fasten by stitches | | | |
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CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

LOR GJIL JY P TPLMJT PWR LOR

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WPRHM.

Yesterday's Cryptogram: VARIETY'S THE VERY SPICE OF LIFE, THAT GIVES IT ALL ITS FLAVOUR—COWPER

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NUTS AND JOLTS

By Bill Holman

DEAR NOAH—WOULD YOU CALL STEPHEN FOSTER'S MUSIC "MASSA" PIECES? MARY DEANE LANEY, MONROE, N.C.

DEAR NOAH—HOW CAN I GO "THIRTY MILES" AN HOUR WHEN ONE GAS COUPON WILL ONLY TAKE ME 20 MILES A WEEK? JOHN SLOCUM, TOLEDO, O.

NEIGHBORLY NEIGHBORS



It's a great moment for the young couple and Myra understood without explanation. But Peters still wants an explanation about that note on the front door!

TONIGHT!

THE ADVENTURES OF MARK TWAIN

ARCH OBOLER'S ORIGINAL RADIO PROLOGUE TO WARNER BROS. SCREEN HIT!

STATION WTBO

BLONDIE

How's you I Q, Pop?

NO! NO MORE QUESTIONS COOKE! I'VE ANSWERED A MILLION OF THEM FOR YOU—LET ME READ MY PAPER

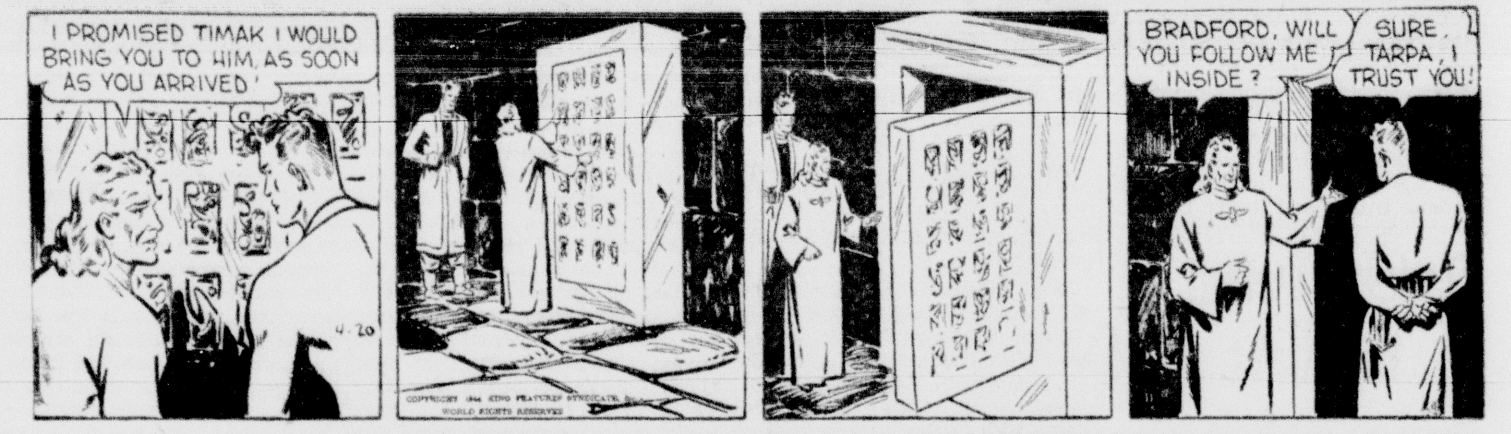
DAGWOOD BUMSTEAD SHAME ON YOU—THE LITTLE DEAR IS JUST TRYING TO LEARN SOMETHING

NOW BE PATIENT WITH HER

I'M SORRY I LOST MY TEMPER COOKE—NOW WHAT IS YOUR QUESTION DEAR?

DOES IT GET AS COOLD ON TUESDAY AS IT DOES IN THE DINING-ROOM?

BRICK BRADFORD—Beyond the Crystal Door



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Cord of Thanks

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors who were so kind to us during our recent bereavement, the death of our beloved daughter, Anne Clara. We also wish to thank those who sent floral tributes and those who for the funeral; also the preacher and choir of the Presbyterian Church.

WIFE AND DAUGHTER.
4-20-11-NT

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MR. AND MRS. JAMES MYERS
Lonaconing, Maryland
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In Memoriam

In memory of our beloved husband and father, Elmer E. Rice, who departed this life one year ago today, April 20, 1943.

You have not left our home; it is as though you passed from room to room. That where you lay was far too small, and as your spirit grew just through the door you passed, but not away. Into another room—that's all—just through the door. Into a larger, lighter room—forevermore.

WIFE AND SON.
4-20-11-NT

2—Automotive

1937 CHRYSLER Airflow sedan, excellent condition, good tires, \$575, 177 E. Main St., Frostburg, 4-13-1W-T

1936 DODGE four-door sedan, good tires, good paint, \$325, Phone 337-M, 4-18-21-T

1934 PLYMOUTH, \$125 cash, 716 Oldtown Road, 4-19-31-T

1937 FORD roadster, \$295, 1936 Graham sedan, \$175, 1934 Plymouth coach, \$155, M. G. K. Motor Co., 221 Glenn St., Phone 2300, 4-17-41-T

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1935 FORD two-door sedan, \$150, Call 1997-M, 4-19-21-T

LINCOLN ZEPHYR, 1940, Phone 4169-J, 4-19-1W-K

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St., 4-18-31-T

THREE ROOMS, garden, yard, 428
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217 Columbia St., 4-19-21-T

25—Room and Board

ROOMS, meals available, 428
Greene, 4-13-1W-K

26—For Sale Miscellaneous

GENUINE pine oil liquid soap for
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timore Ave., 3-26-31-T

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ers, seed potatoes, Zimmerly's,
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McHenry Suggests Suitable Victory Gardening Crops

Says Gardener Should Grow Vegetables He Likes to Eat

The victory gardener should grow those vegetables which he and his family like best to eat, providing they can be grown successfully in this area, Ralph F. McHenry, county farm agent, said yesterday in advising vegetables he considers well worth the gardening effort.

Gardeners in Allegany county, he said, will make no mistake if they choose their vegetables from among snap beans, lima beans, beets, carrots, brussels sprouts, early and late cabbage, card, endive, kale, lettuce, onions, parsnips, peas, peppers, radishes, rutabaga, spinach, summer squash, tomatoes and turnips.

All of these, McHenry added, are easily grown, require only one season and occupy little space, but if plenty of space is available he suggested adding sweet corn, cucumbers, potatoes, Hubbard squash and pumpkin to the list since they also mature in one season.

Alternates Listed

Some alternates he listed as asparagus, celery, cantaloupes, cauliflower and sweet potatoes, but he explained that there are certain reasons they are not included in this basic list.

Asparagus, he pointed out, is not too hard to grow but requires about three years to get satisfactory production. Celery is also a good vegetable, McHenry said, and requires only one season, but should be attempted only by experienced gardeners. Cantaloupes are good in large gardens but, he added, they are somewhat "cranky" except for those experienced in growing them. They require a full season between frosts and are subject to many diseases and attacks by insects.

Cauliflower, McHenry suggested, is a good vegetable for higher elevations such as Frostburg and the Georges creek region, but he explained that this plant will shoot and refuse to head in climates where hot nights prevail in September, and, he added, it fails more often than not in the vicinity of Cumberland. Sweet potatoes, he said, require a long season but sometimes are successfully grown here, particularly in "lucky seasons."

Suggests Leafy Vegetables

Pointing out that nutrition experts claim the green, leafy vegetables are most important, McHenry said victory gardens should be so planned so that one or another leafy vegetable is available from early spring until severe freezing in the fall. As a list to choose from he named chard, kale, spinach, turnip tops, lettuce, endive and beet tops.

"Terminating tomatoes and beans the 'old reliables,'" McHenry said they should be grown in every garden and in sufficient quantity for canning.

Beets, carrots and onions can be stored for some time and used fresh and parsnips can be left in the garden all winter, McHenry said, while Siberian kale will often stay green long after hard freezing has set in.

The latter, he added, makes excellent winter greens. He explained that if leaves are killed off by hard freezing in the winter, the greens seem to live over and a new crop comes very early in the spring.

Siberian kale, he said, should be planted in August.

Late cabbage, McHenry stated, should be grown in abundance by those who like to make sauer kraut or who have pits or cool cellars suitable for storing it.

HOWARD A. KAUFMAN FUNERAL RITES HELD

Funeral services for Howard Andrew Kaufman, 61-year-old, who died suddenly Sunday night when he was stricken with a heart attack while at work in the back shops of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, were held at 2:30 p. m. yesterday in St. Paul's Episcopal church with the Rev. S. R. Neel officiating. Interment was in Resurrection cemetery.

Survivors were Charles Neil, Gerald Plattnerman, Alton Kerns, Bernard Robertson, Charles House and James Crabtree.

MISS MARGARET WAGNER

Funeral services will be held at 1 p. m. Friday in St. Peter and Paul Catholic church for Miss Margaret B. Wagner, 83, 523 Henderson avenue, who died early yesterday morning at her home. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

A native of Cumberland, Miss Wagner was a daughter of the late George and Walburg A. Sharp Wagner. She is survived by three sisters, Sister Basil, OSU, St. Peter and Paul; Mrs. Elizabeth Creggan and Mrs. Marie Lashley, all of Cumberland; four nephews, John I. and Anthony Miller, and Robert and Frank Wagner, Cumberland.

JOHN R. RITCHIE

Services for John R. Ritchie, who died Tuesday night at the home of his son, Jacob R. Ritchie, Route 4, Cumberland, will be held at 2:30 p. m. today in Gravel Hill Methodist church with the Rev. George S. Baughman officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery. The body is at the Wolford funeral home.

Released To Army

Carson E. Price, arrested at 11 p. m. Tuesday by Officer John W. Snyder on a charge of being absent without leave from his army post, was released yesterday by army authorities.



TO BEGIN TRAINING — Mrs. Virginia Kage Yantz, 22, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Kage, 23 West First street, will leave today for Hunter College, New York City, to begin WAVE training. A graduate of Allegany high school, class of 1940, she was employed as a trucker at the Celanese plant prior to her enlistment April 7. Her husband, Staff Sgt. William E. Yantz, is stationed at Shreveport, La., with the army air corps.

Ellerslie Soldier Killed in Action On Bougainville

Pvt. John F. Shroyer, 23, Entered Army Medical Corps in April, 1943

Mrs. Ruth Sturtz Shroyer, Ellerslie, was notified Tuesday by a telegram from the War Department that her husband, Pvt. John F. Shroyer, 23, was killed in action on Bougainville March 14.

Pvt. Shroyer, a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Shroyer, of Ellerslie, was a graduate of Allegany high school, class of 1939, and was employed in the acetate laboratory of the Celanese plant before he entered the army medical corps April 22, 1943.

Following training at Fort George G. Meade and Camp Grant, Ill., Pvt. Shroyer began overseas service September 9, 1943. His outfit took part in the New Caledonia campaign before being sent to Bougainville.

Besides his widow and his parents, he is survived by three brothers, Pvt. Bruce E. Shroyer, stationed in England with an army air corps repair squadron; Pts. G. Irvin Shroyer, Jr., stationed in New Guinea with an air corps ordnance unit, and Robert Shroyer, Ellerslie, and three sisters, Mrs. Lawrence Williams, 31 Virginia avenue, this city; Mrs. Leroy Smith, New Kensington, Pa., and Miss Jean Shroyer, Ellerslie, a student at Allegany high school.

Information Will Be Given Draftees At Meeting Here

Dr. Robert W. Work, Allegany county civilian defense director, announced yesterday that another pre-induction informational meeting will be held in the city hall at 7:30 o'clock on April 27. The meeting is for all men who are ordered for draft examinations in Baltimore, and it is to help them in arranging their affairs pending final induction.

The service the Red Cross gives to servicemen and their families will be explained by Mrs. Louise C. Dean, local Red Cross secretary. Clarence Lippel, local attorney, will advise on legal matters and explain the law as it pertains to servicemen and their families.

Tentative plans call for an army officer from Camp Ritchie to be here to tell the men what to expect on entering the service.

Tech. Sgt. Clarence Biehn will show a sound movie on "Classification and Assignment."

Antioch Commandery Installs Officers

Antioch Commandery, No. 6, Knights Templar, Tuesday, at Masonic Temple installed officers as follows: Alvin B. Storey, eminent commander; Kinsey A. Wolfe, captain general; Henry M. Earle, senior warden; John R. Atkinson, prelate; George W. Brown, treasurer; A. C. Fisher, recorder; Robt. W. McGibbon, warder; J. C. Watkins, sentinel.

Generalissimo-elect Joseph H. Duckworth, unable to be present, will be installed at a later date. Past Grand Commander Grant A. Wiebel was assisted by Past Commanders Kinsey A. Wolfe, H. Loren Elliott, Blair V. Welsh and John R. Atkinson, with Past Commander James C. Watkins, marshal. Lunch was served.

Merchants May Aid Blood Donor Program

Plans to assist in the Red Cross blood donor program here will be discussed at a meeting of the Mercantile bureau of the chamber of commerce at 10 a. m. Friday.

The Membership Activities committee of the chamber will meet at 11:30 a. m. Friday to discuss further plans for an informal meeting to be held April 27 at the All Ghan Shrine Country Club. John L. Hougarde, executive director of the Maryland Public Expenditure Council, will speak briefly on the Wagner-Murray bill at the April 27 session.

Principals Meet In Towson Today

Kopp Heads Allegany County Delegates to Three-day Conference

Headed by Charles L. Kopp, superintendent, and Richard T. Riser, high school supervisor, a delegation of principals of nine Allegany senior and junior high schools will leave this morning for Towson to attend the second annual state-wide conference of principals which opens today at 1:30 p. m. in State Teachers college.

The principals making the trip include Lewyn C. Davis, Westernport; Gilbert C. Cooling, Barton; Arthur W. Taylor and Earl P. Barton, Frostburg; J. O. Kefauver, Mt. Savage; George F. Reiter, Oldtown; Mrs. Elsie Hill Roland, Plintstone; Mrs. Myra M. Nefflen, Cresaptown; and Victor D. Heisey, Cumberland. Ralph F. Webster, of Allegany, and Miss Daisy Cline, of Central, Lonaconing, will be unable to attend.

John L. Dunkle, president of Frostburg State Teachers college, also will attend.

Speakers at the three-day session which will be concluded Saturday, include Dr. Alexander J. Stoddard, superintendent of Philadelphia schools, and David Gibson, vice-president of the Maryland Casualty Company.

James E. Spitznas, of Cumberland, state supervisor, will be in charge of one of the two sessions scheduled Saturday.

During the conference most of the principals will live at the college.

Barton Is Host As Firemen Hold Annual Smoker

Eighteen Companies Are Represented; 400 Persons Attend

BARTON, April 19 — The annual smoker of the Allegany-Garrett County Volunteer Firemen's Association was held here tonight with approximately 400 persons attending and eighteen companies represented.

The event got underway at 6:30 p. m. with dinner served in the basement of the Presbyterian church but at 8 o'clock the scene changed to the firemen's hall where entertainment was provided.

William Chappell, assistant chief of the Barton company, was master of ceremonies, and introduced John Prichard, Frostburg, trustee of the Maryland State Volunteer Firemen's Association, who represented S. T. Culver, state president, at the meeting.

Chappell also introduced officers of the county association including Homer Ambrose, McCoolle, president; William A. Wilson, Midland, vice president; Chester Shimer, Westernport, secretary, and L. E. Wortman, Luke, treasurer.

Motion pictures of the army, one on the air forces and another on the infantry, were shown by Tech. Sgt. Clarence Biehn, Cumberland recruiter. Two members of the Goodwill Volunteer Fire Company at Lonaconing put on a "Houdini" act, with Walter Abbott playing the part of the magician.

Musical entertainment was provided by George Mutch, of Cumberland, and Kight's Wonder Boys, of Westernport. Donald "Tink" Adams, a member of the latter group, gave a humorous arrangement of "The Old Apple Tree."

Jesse Wilson, of the Baltimore Pike Volunteer Fire Company, gave a humorous recitation.

The roll call of member companies of the association was conducted by Shimer, the secretary.

Mother Seeks Divorce And Custody of Child

Charging that her husband, Ray Fred Alt, deserted her, Etta V. M. Alt entered suit in circuit court yesterday for a partial divorce and asked the court to return their infant daughter to her custody.

Alt deserted her on November 14, 1943. Mrs. Alt declared, after they had been married April 12, 1941, and until April 12, 1944, their daughter, aged 2½ years, had been in her custody.

On that day, however, Mrs. Alt stated, she took the child to the home of the defendant to leave her overnight and since then Alt has refused to give up the girl.

In a court order signed by Associate Judge William A. Huster, Alt is ordered to return the child to her mother and is ordered to pay Mrs. Alt \$45 monthly alimony during the course of the suit.

P. Brooke Whiting and Vernon E. Rankin are attorneys for Mrs. Alt.

Dairy Feed Payments Will Be Made Soon

Dairy feed payments covering the sale of milk, cream and butter during March and April will be paid after May 1 at the rate of sixty cents per hundredweight for milk and eight cents per pound for butterfat, Albert O'Neal, chairman of the Allegany County Agricultural Conservation Association, said yesterday.

Payments are made at the office of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency, 37 Washington street, upon application. Dates to apply will be announced later.

RWLB Orders Box Company's Wage Rates Continued

Reduced Rates Shall Remain in Force until Dispute Is Settled

The Regional War Labor Board has ordered that rates approved by its wage stabilization division for employees of the Cumberland Box Company, 215 West Elder street, member of Local 473, United Furniture Workers, CIO, continue in effect until the dispute between the company and the union involving these rates are settled.

The wage stabilization director on August 30, 1943 approved voluntary adjustments asked by the company, providing a ten-cent an hour increase in all salaries and adjusted rates for six job classifications.

Three Jobs Eliminated

On October 6, 1943, the company advised the wage stabilization division that due to a discontinuance of a contract for war materials readjustment to normal operating conditions was necessary with the elimination of three of the six job classifications at the plant.

On the basis of the company's statement, the earlier order was modified by the WSD on October 18, resulting in a reduction of the number of job classifications at the plant.

The union, which had meanwhile been certified as the collective bargaining agent for the employees, did not join in the amended application, however, but subsequently made additional demands including wage increases, vacation pay, union security, check-off, and overtime.

Due to the inability to reach an agreement, the union's demand resulted in a dispute with the company which was certified to the RWLB in October. In its first order issued in this dispute, the board provides that the rates approved by the WSD on August 30, retroactive to July 1, are confirmed from July 1 to October 23.

Further, the reduced rates subsequently authorized in the modified ruling of October 23 are confirmed as of that date and shall continue in force until the dispute is settled.

Joint Report Requested

Questions of what rates should now be paid are referred back to the parties for negotiation with the requirement that a joint report be made to the board within thirty days.

Industry members of the board dissented from this part of the action. Disposition of all other issues in the dispute is deferred by the board's order pending the outcome of wage negotiations.

Verdict in Damage Suit Is Returned Against Plaintiff

Defendant Says She Was Victim of Mechanic Street Fight

A verdict favoring Mrs. Virginia M. Buell, defendant in a \$4,000 damage suit filed against her by Mrs. Nettie Knippenberg, was returned by a circuit court jury yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Knippenberg accused Mrs. Buell of assaulting her on Mechanic street on November 18, 1943, but the latter declared that she was the victim of the attack and did not strike the other woman.

Instead, the defense stated, Mrs. Knippenberg struck Mrs. Buell in the face with her pocketbook and as she struck her she slipped and fell, grabbing Mrs. Buell's pocketbook with the result that the contents were scattered about the street.

Mrs. Buell declared that as she picked up the contents of her handbag, Mrs. Knippenberg started pulling her hair. Testimony showed that Mrs. Knippenberg had struck Mrs. Buell on another occasion and that she had followed her and cursed her on the street.

Since her marriage in July 1939, Mrs. Knippenberg testified she had filed three bills for partial divorce against her husband, and was granted a decree in the final one. She added that her troubles with her husband were slight, however, until he met Mrs. Buell.

At the time of the Mechanic street fracas, Mrs. Knippenberg asserted, she met her husband and Mrs. Buell together and, she added, verbal exchanges led to the fight with the first blow coming from Mrs. Buell.

Paul M. Fletcher represented Mrs. Buell. Edward J. Ryan and Edwin M. Horcher were attorneys for Mrs. Knippenberg.

Two Wills Entered For Probate Here

Two wills were entered for probate Tuesday in the orphans' court. The will of George W. Weaver names his widow, Mrs. Alice M. Weaver, sole beneficiary. A son, William L. Weaver, is named executor.

The will of James G. McFarlane leaves his estate to two sisters, Mrs. Mary B. Dixon and Mrs. Jean H. Brooks. A brother, Samuel N. McFarlane, was named executor.

Attorneys representing Milton G. VanMeter yesterday filed notice of an appeal from a decision of the orphans' court which refused to admit his mother's will to probate.

Two High School Boys Will Receive State FFA Keys

Official Emblems Will Be Presented to 86 New Members April 26

State farmer keys will be presented to Roy Shryock, of Plintstone, and Albert Kinser, of Oldtown, and eighty-six new members of the organization from five Allegany county public schools will receive official FFA emblems at the Future Farmers of America county-wide banquet Wednesday, April 26 at 7 p. m. in the recreation hall of St. Luke's Lutheran church.

The "state farmer" degree is the third of four grades conferred on active members of the organization. The first two are "green hand" and "future farmer" while the fourth is "American farmer."

Five Schools Represented

Official emblems will be presented to those completing their first year in vocational agriculture. The list includes twenty-three from Allegany high, twenty-one from Fort Hill high, nineteen from Beal high, thirteen from Agricultural high, Plintstone, and ten from Oldtown high.

The national emblem of the FFA is made up of five symbols: the owl, symbolic of wisdom and knowledge; the plow, symbol of labor and tillage of the soil; the rising sun, emblematic of progress and the new day that will dawn when all farmers are trained and have learned to co-operate; the cross section of an ear of corn, which represents common agricultural interests since corn is native to America and grown in every state, and the eagle is indicative of the national scope of the organization.

Cotterman Will Speak

Dr. H. F. Cotterman, state supervisor of vocational agriculture, will be the principal speaker and the presentation of speakers and awards will be made by Charles L. Kopp, superintendent of schools. Grant Clineberger will act as toastmaster and the invocation will be given by Dr. H. Hall Sharp. Talks on "Purposes of the FFA" and "What the FFA Has Meant to Me" will be delivered by William Shriver and Dale Mann.

The musical program will include vocal numbers by Prof. Maurice J. Matteson, piano solo by Mrs. Matteson and group singing led by Mrs. Geraldine Mann with Miss Margaret Stipple as accompanist.

Reservations for the banquet may be made at the board of education office, Washington street, or by contacting James H. House, FFA adviser.

44 House Signers Needed To Release Townsend Measure

Petition Now Contains 174 Signatures, Hess Tells Townsendites Here

One hundred and seventy-four members of the House of Representatives have signed the petition calling for the release of the Townsend bill from the Ways and Means committee to the floor of the lower house, Beecher E. Hess, editor of the Townsend Flash, and director of the Townsend Washington Bureau, told an audience of approximately 200 persons which assembled last evening in St. Peter and Paul hall for the joint meeting of Townsend clubs No. 2 and 3.

Hess stated that 218 signatures are required on the petition before the bill can be released and he predicted that the required total will be reached in the near future.

House Resolution No. 1649 provides the imposition of a three percent gross tax on all incomes over \$1,200 a year, with the proceeds being allocated for an old age annuities, widows, blind persons and others, physically incapacitated.

Hess pointed out that the Townsend bill is more like an insurance plan than a pension plan.

It is estimated that sixteen million persons would share in the proceeds as there are not twelve million persons in the country sixty years or over and four million widows and persons physically handicapped.

George Woodson, national representative for the Townsend organization in West Virginia and Maryland, also spoke on the benefits of the Townsend bill.

Irvin C. Brant, president of Townsend club No. 2, introduced the speakers.

The meeting was preceded by a ham and oyster supper, followed by a floor show by the pupils of Miss Mary K. Steckman, and musical program.

Labor Leaders To Urge Continuation of OPA

Ralph C. Beard, president of the Western Maryland Industrial Union Council, and Gilbert Lewis, chairman of the Political Action committee of Local 1874, Textile Workers Union of America, left here yesterday morning for Washington to attend a hearing of the Congressional committee for the Protection of the Consumer.

The labor leaders will urge the continuation of the Office of Price Administration at the conference which will end today.

Lions See Movies Of Alcan Highway

Membership of Cumberland Club Is Increased to Seventy-one

A program of moving pictures on the Alcan highway, which extends from Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, to Fairbanks, Alaska, and was built in the record time of two years, featured the regular weekly luncheon meeting of the Cumberland Lions Club yesterday in the Central Y.M.C.A.

Lynn C. Lashley and the Rev. Charles M. LePew were in charge of the program.

Chester Stewart was admitted to membership, increasing the club's enrollment to seventy-one.

Announcement was made that the Lions' annual father, daughter and son banquet will be held Wednesday, May 10, at 6:30 p. m., in the Grace Methodist church community hall.

Eight delegates from the local club will attend the district convention in Hagerstown, May 12 and 13, and a group of members plan to attend the ladies' night program of the Lonaconing Lions Club on Monday, May 1.

Visitors at the luncheon included Lt. Hervey Cain, of the military police battalion, Baltimore, and Maj. Henry Reinke, of the provost marshal's office, Third Service Command, Baltimore, who were guests of James Orr, and James Rhodes, of the United States Marines.

Ridgeley Scouts To Collect Tin, Paper Saturday

Fifteen Boys Assigned Job; Tin Collection Here Starts Tomorrow

Boy scouts of Troop No. 71, sponsored by the Calvary Methodist church, will conduct a drive for wastepaper and tin cans in Ridgeley, W. Va., Saturday, commencing at 9 a. m.

Residents are urged to have their tin cans and wastepaper properly prepared and placed in front of their homes before 9 a. m. when trucks will start their tour of the nearby West Virginia community.

All wastepaper collected will be stored in the city hall until April 30 when it will be pooled with the city-wide collection in Cumberland, scheduled on that date.

Tin cans will be taken by truck to the loading platform at the Taylor tinplate mill where they will be dumped into hopper type railroad cars.

James Perry, scout master of Troop 71, said that fifteen members of his troop will participate in the one-day collection.

The troop will sponsor a father and son banquet and court of honor Monday, April 24, from 6:30 to 8:30 p. m., in the church.

Cumberland's tin can collection will get under way tomorrow for the section north of Baltimore street, Baltimore avenue and Greene street, also LaVale and The Dingle. The collection will be completed on Saturday in the section south of Baltimore street, Baltimore avenue and Greene street. Boy scouts of Troop No. 9 will have charge of the tin collection Saturday in the Cresaptown and Bowling Green section.

Flintstone Youths Judge Livestock At Frederick

Six youths recently chosen from the Flintstone Boys' 4-H Club to compose a livestock judging team representing Allegany county, received instruction and practice in judging beef animals Monday at Frederick, Joseph Steger, assistant county farm agent, said yesterday.

Joseph Vial, animal husbandry specialist of the University of Maryland, gave the youths instructions on animals that had been fitted for the annual Hereford sale at Timonium, and Steger said the youths had the "splendid opportunity of judging some of the best beef animals in this state."

Youths who took part in the judging were Kenneth McLaughlin, Lee Hardcock, George Hartley, Marshall Main, Perry Shryock and Harold Mann.

Larceny Indictment Docketed in Court

John Franklin Twigg and John A. Snyder have been indicted by the April term of grand jury on charges of larceny and receiving stolen goods, according to an entry made on the open docket in circuit court yesterday.

Twigg and Snyder are accused of stealing twenty-six bed sheets and twenty-one pillow cases valued at \$43 from the Baltimore and Ohio Y. M. C. A. on January 25.

Mrs. Menefee Will Speak Here Sunday

Mrs. Elizabeth R. Menefee, judge of the juvenile court, will speak on "The Church as Its Best" at the Ladies' day service in Trinity Methodist church at 11 a. m. Sunday. John C. Baldwin heads a group of laymen in charge of the service.

PVT. GEORGE SMITH SERIOUSLY WOUNDED SOMEWHERE IN ITALY

Pvt. George E. Smith, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marie A. Smith, Bedford, Pa., Route 3, was seriously wounded in action in Italy on March 18, according to a message received Monday by his mother from the War department.

No other details were given in the telegram but added that the family would be advised when additional reports on his condition were received.

Pvt. Smith was inducted into the army Feb. 12, 1943 and received his basic training at Fort Bragg, N. C., going overseas three months after he entered the service. He was stationed in North Africa and took part in the invasion of Sicily and was serving in Italy with a third artillery battalion when he was wounded.

Before entering the army Smith was employed by the Potomac Edison Company at its Riverside plant for two years.

Director of WMC Explains Use of Prisoners of War

Fenneman Says Need Is No Assurance Such Labor Will Be Available

The need for prisoners of war to work in the food processing plants in any section of Maryland this summer is no assurance that such labor will be available, Lawrence B. Fenneman, state director of the War Manpower Commission, emphasized here yesterday.

Fenneman stated that the need for such labor, estimated by the canners as necessary to fill the gaps in the usual local and migratory working forces, does not mean that prisoners of war will be brought into the state even though they are available, because rigid regulations are enforced under the procedure for war prisoner use.

WMC Makes Survey

The WMC's activity and authority in the use of prisoners of war is confined to a survey of the manpower needs of the plants and industries which ask for such labor to determine that other labor is not available and cannot be recruited elsewhere, Fenneman said.

"War Manpower Commission then certifies to the army the need for prisoners of war labor, the number, the period of time required, what work they will do, the location of the plant, its job activity and its WMC priority rating," he stated.

In Maryland, the Third Service Command of the army then takes over the procedure. It makes a survey of the location to ascertain whether housing is available and whether the prisoner of war can be cared for in strict adherence to the Geneva convention. The recommendations of the service command are submitted to the provost marshal general's office, which makes the final decision and the allocation of the prisoners of war.

Must Assure Requirements

The prevalent belief that the need for war prisoner labor is the sole requirement for their being supplied industries is erroneous, Fenneman emphasized. All the requirements for their security, adequate housing, sanitary facilities, transportation and general welfare must be assured, the state WMC was advised by army representatives, who explained the procedure that must follow the WMC certification.

One of the chief concerns of WMC before it certifies the necessity and location of war prisoners anywhere in the state, Fenneman said, is the assurance that the residents of the areas and labor unions are in accord with the need for their use. Under no circumstances will certification be made where local labor can be recruited or where immigrants can be brought into an area.

Treasury Receives Balance

War prisoners are paid eighty cents a day when used on any job project, although the employer pays the prevailing wage rate for their hire. The balance goes to the United States Treasury. It was explained by the WMC director.

Fire Causes Damage At Elm Street Home

A fire, believed to have been caused by defective wiring or spontaneous combustion, damaged the flooring and some furniture at the home of Harry Couter, 701 Elm street, shortly after 5 a. m. Tuesday.

The blaze originated in the cellar and the family, awakened by smoke billowing through the bedrooms, was forced to flee. Box alarms and telephone calls brought Engine companies No. 1, 2 and 4 to the scene.

South End Company No. 2 extinguished a fire at the home of Charles Hickie, 232 West Oldtown road, Tuesday at noon.

Rubber Workers To Meet

Local 26, United Rubber Workers of America, will hold a general membership meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock in Rubber Workers hall, 12 South Mechanic street, Roy E. Davy, president, announced last evening.

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New Attendance Record Reported By Central YMCA

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